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BOYS OF '61' LIVE OVER STIRRING WAR TIMES AT RE-UNION

WERE GIVEN BANQUET AND ENJOYED CAMP FIRE IN DIXON LAST NIGHT.

VETERANS DELIVER SPEECHES

Was the 52nd Reunion of Members of the 13th Illinois Regiment of Volunteers.

The fifty-second reunion of the Thirtieth Illinois Volunteer Infantry association came to a close with a most enjoyable camp fire at the G. A. R. hall last evening, in which the old soldiers easily got back into the spirit that kept them cheerful and happy during their trying experiences of the campaign of '61.

The camp fire followed a banquet which was tendered the veterans by the ladies of the W. R. C., the spread being served in the basement of the Peoples church, which was fittingly decorated for the occasion, flags and cut flowers lending to the beauty of the surroundings.

Every seat provided was occupied when President C. H. Noble of this city called the banquet to order and asked Dr. F. D. Altman, pastor of the Lutheran church, to invoke the Divine blessing. The service was excellent and the following menu was tastily prepared by the ladies: Chicken pie, mashed potatoes, cabbage salad, pickles, coffee, brown bread, baked beans, white bread, cottage cheese, jelly, strawberries and ice cream, assorted cake.

During the spread an orchestra furnished martial music and a quartet composed of Mesdames H. W. Harms and Lee Read and Messrs. Fahrney and Raymond, sang several old war songs, all of which were greatly appreciated by the guests.

A happy feature of the banquet was a short talk made by Capt. Everest of Chicago, who, after calling attention to the fact that for 43 years the W. R. C. has served banquets to the visitors, offered a rising vote of thanks to them for their kindness and attention. His suggestion was most enthusiastically carried out by the members of the association.

The Camp Fire.

After the banquet adjournment was taken until 8 o'clock, when the camp fire was held at the G. A. R. hall, many Dixonites attending and lending their interest to the meeting.

Secretary-Treasurer R. M. Hevenor submitted his annual report, showing receipts of \$43.04 and expenditures of \$23.25. By unanimous vote the balance, \$19.79, was presented to Mr. Hevenor for his excellent and careful services during the past year.

Letters Read.

During the evening many of the comrades expressed desires to hear some of the letters from absent comrades, especially from Lieut. Henry Dement, formerly of Dixon, who has never before missed a reunion. Letters were read from Henry Dement, Witten, S. D.; Harry Van Houten, Fort Dodge, Ia.; B. E. Van Buren, Hampton, Fla.; James Cluggett, Chamberlain, S. D.; C. W. Snyder, New York City; W. M. Jenks, Sacramento, Cal.; D. R. Wolverton, son of a deceased veteran, Panama Canal Zone; Joseph M. Patterson, Kansas City, Mo.; R. W. Smith, Lake City, Ia.; H. H. Johnson, Eureka, Cal.; F. W. Cushing, Oakland, Cal.; L. E. Hawley, Grand Rapids, Mich.

The quartet sang many patriotic melodies and addresses were made by Capt. J. Y. Everest of Chicago, a member of the Vicksburg Park commission, who described the work being done to preserve that memorable ground; John McClark of Norfolk, Neb., quartermaster of the regiment; Wm. Payne of Rock Island; J. B. Lowrey of Chicago; Andrew Haber of Sterling and Oscar Webb of Kushla, Ala.

Dr. F. D. Altman also made a short address and the following past commanders of the W. R. C. extended greetings to the veterans: Mrs. Charles Eastman, Mrs. Goodrich, Mrs. S. M. Green, Mrs. Lee Read and Mrs. Ira Lewis.

Afternoon Session.

The business meeting of the association, which was held yesterday afternoon, was short, the fact that President Noble and Secretary Hevenor have been elected for life making it necessary to elect but one officer, O. B. Wyman of Eagle Grove, Ia., being re-elected vice president. During the meeting Capt. Everest informed the members that he had been informed of the illness of Lieut. Patterson of Kansas City, Mo., and Lieut. Dement of Witten, S. D., and he asked that the officers of the association be instructed to write them extending the greetings and best wishes of the members.

The reunion, while not as largely attended as those in the past, was of much interest to the veterans, who took especial notice of the following statistics presented by Sec. Hevenor:

Some Statistics.

Sec. Hevenor's report showed, among other interesting details, the following report:

Members Who Died This Year.

John W. Rhodes, Co. B.
H. W. Weaver, Co. B.
F. McCarty, Co. B.
Robert S. Johnson, Co. H.
E. L. Currier, Co. H.
Robert Milligan, Co. F.
B. J. Gifford, Co. E.
J. C. Arey, Co. B.
D. Davenport, Co. F.
R. W. Utts, Co. B.
N. M. Depue, Co. F.
Louis Hennis, Co. E.
N. P. Howe, Co. B.
Lieut. Wallace, Co. E.
M. D. Hubbard, Co. B.

Letters Returned

H. Van Houten, Co. A
Louis Hennis, Co. E
E. B. Beard, Co. H
R. Davenport, Co. F
S. C. Fairchild, Co. C
Robert S. Johnson, Co. H.
N. M. Depue, Co. F.

Letters Received

John Leitch, Plano, Ill., E.
John Hiff, Aurora, Ill., E.
H. H. Johnson, Eureka, Cal. H.
B. E. VanBuren, Hornyston, Fla., Co. B.

Milton Giles, Olympia, Wis., A
N. Woods, Detroit, Mich., I
A. Barnes, Eureka, Cal., H.
W. L. Chittenden, Kearney, N. Y., D
C. H. Coswell, Nashua, Ia., H.
G. W. Fikes, Hoopston, Ill., H
W. H. Woodring, Great Neck, N. Y., D

L. Bish, Newton, Ia., E
J. E. Dixon, Benton, Pa., A
F. W. Cushing, Oakland, Cal., H
C. E. Littlehale, Stockton, Cal., B
John Martin, Aurora, Ill., H
A. W. Adams, Almona, Wis., B
A. E. Beardsley, Wilmington, N. Y., H

J. W. Neer, Salem, Ore., E
Jas. Humphries, Logan, Kas., F
Capt. R. A. Smith, Lake City, Ia., F

C. W. Potter, Alnsworth, Neb., G
C. J. Harrison, Los Angeles, F
H. D. Dement, Witten, S. D., A
P. D. Hartman, Provident City, Tex., F
H. C. Palmer, Grand Rapids, Mich., B
J. M. Patterson, Kansas City, Mo., B

C. F. Fairbanks, Atlanta, Ga., E
L. S. Shafer, Rapid City, Ill., D
Frank C. Lee, Council Bluffs, Ia., C

David R. Wolverton, Canal Zone, Panama
C. D. Tilden, Chicago, K
James Cluggett, Chamberlain, S. D., H

Henry Davlin, Los Angeles, Cal., A
Frank Whipple, Circleville, Kas., H
L. E. Hawley, Grand Rapids, Mich., B

S. P. Moore, Butterfield, Ark., D
A. J. Judd, Briggsdale, Col., C
C. H. Reynolds, Sterling, Okla., A
W. M. Jenks, Sacramento, Cal., G
H. Van Houten, Fort Dodge, Kas., K

W. Ballman, St. Paul, Neb., K
T. J. Chaff, Ft. Scott, Kas., I
Z. D. Mathuss, Los Angeles, Cal., C
A. C. Tuthill, Valparaiso, Ind., I
C. E. Bolles, Oak Park, Ill., K

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Men's Mass Meeting at City Hall Thursday Night

To Organize Young Men's Branch of Citizen's Association
8 o'clock
EVERYBODY INVITED

FARM HAND FOUND LIFELESS IN WOODS

JOHN FRAGER DIED OF APOPLEXY WHILE CUTTING WOOD NEAR CEDARVILLE.

Freeport, May 28—John Frager, a resident of Cedarville for the past six years, was found dead in the woods on the farm of Samuel Barber Jr., two miles northwest of Cedarville yesterday. Frager was employed as a farm hand on the Barber farm and was sent into the woods by Mr. Barber to cut down a tree. The timber is about 25 rods from the home and Mr. Barber heard Frager at work. Suddenly the chopping ceased and for a few moments Mr. Barber did not think seriously of the occurrence, but when Frager did not start to work again Mr. Barber left the house to see what the trouble was.

He found Frager lying dead on the ground. Assistance was summoned and it was determined that death was caused by apoplexy.

Decedent was born near McConnel about 55 years ago. He resided in Lena for a number of years, then moved to Cedarville. The deceased was one of two sets of triplets born to his mother, the other two children of the set to which he was one died in infancy.

FAMOUS MEN TESTIFY IN ROOSEVELT CASE

NATIONAL CHARACTERS TESTIFY THAT COL. ROOSEVELT IS NOT A DRUNKARD.

Marquette, Mich., May 28—Special to Telegraph—The libel suit instituted by Theodore Roosevelt against Editor Geo. A. Newitt, publisher of the Iron Ore, a Michigan newspaper, who charged the ex-president with drunkenness, cursing, etc., which is in progress here, continued today. Most of the day was taken up with testimony of Robert Bacon, former Secretary of State; Truman H. Newberry, Gifford Pinchot, James R. Garfield and John Callan O'Laughlin, famous newspaper man.

These gentlemen, on the stand for the prosecution, stated in Col. Roosevelt's defense, that the charge of drunkenness on the part of the coolie was false.

Sterling Paper Compliments Dixon on Her Paving Activities, Oiling Streets and Improving Business District--Criticises Lawns

Sterling Gazette—Some very effective street improvements are being made over in Dixon. In fact the improvements are so noticeable, that they could be successfully duplicated in Sterling.

Now anybody who believes that Dixon has not a live mayor and a progressive board of commissioners, are mistaken.

Over in that city at the present time, a big force of men are at work paving brick. Later another big bunch are to be started.

This year Dixon plans to invest a total of \$90,000 in street paving and not a cent of bonds were issued to meet the city's end of the cost. Next year Dixon is planning to do some more street paving. In many have caught the fever in Sterling, but nevertheless Dixon is doing some splendid work on street building.

Call For Flowers

As flowers are scarce this year for decorating the soldiers' graves, it is earnestly requested that anyone who has flowers to spare will bring them early Friday morning, May 30, to the court house, or notify S. S. Dodge, chairman of the floral committee, and they will be taken care of.

As Memorial day was instituted solely for the purpose of honoring the graves of our departed heroes it is hoped that people will refrain from using their flowers for private decoration, as there are many days coming when we can show our respect for our departed friends—there is but one Memorial day.

CATHOLICS TO HOLD MEMORIAL SERVICES

WILL HOLD SPECIAL SERVICES AT OAKWOOD CEMETERY ON SUNDAY.

Special memorial services will be conducted at the cemetery Sunday afternoon by the members of St. Patrick's Catholic church, in keeping with the custom which will be followed all over the country on that day. The parishioners will meet at the church and go to the cemetery en masse, when services will be conducted by Fathers Foley and Donadue.

GOVERNMENT ARCHITECT HERE

Leo Canman, Supervising Architect for the government, the gentleman who built the local federal building, and who made so many friends during his stay here, was in Dixon today calling on Postmaster Frye and looking over the building and grounds to see if anything is needed. He found the property in excellent condition.

GRADUATION ORATOR

Sec. E. T. Bailey of the Dixon Y. M. C. A., has been engaged as the commencement orator for the Ashton high school graduation which will take place Thursday evening, June 5th.

JENSEN RAMS BRIDGE AND WRECKS HIS AUTO

LOCAL PAINTER HAS SERIOUS ACCIDENT ON BRIDGE THIS AFTERNOON.

CAR IS NEARLY DEMOLISHED

Tried to Pass Rig and Machine Skidded in Street Car Tracks, Smashing Into Girders.

N. H. Jensen came to grief again this afternoon at about 2:30 and put on his daily sensational matinee when he connected the front end of his five-passenger touring car with one of the substantial girders of the Galena avenue bridge, about midway of the structure, much to the detriment of said machine.

Mr. Jensen was running south at a moderate rate of speed on the right side of the bridge. A buggy was ahead of him and in attempting to cross to the left side of the passageway, his wheels caught in the car tracks, skidded, snapped one of the back axles and losing the right hind wheel and boring the front of the machine into the steel structural work on the side of the bridge. The left front wheel was twisted nearly off, the radiator wrecked, left front lamp demolished, both front springs ruined, the front axle bent nearly double and the steering rods and connections paralyzed.

Mr. Jensen was alone in the car and escaped without injury. He congratulated himself on his luck and said that if he had been running any faster the machine would probably have been smashed. The bridge was not damaged.

A wrecking crew from Hart & Nettz were on the scene in a short time and cleared the wreckage away and opened up traffic. This last is the most serious of an almost daily series of smashups Mr. Jensen has suffered since he purchased his car.

LEE CO. MEDICAL ASSOCIATION MEETS

PHYSICIANS WILL CONVEY IN ANNUAL MEETING HERE TOMORROW

The Lee County Medical Association will hold its annual meeting tomorrow at the City Hall in Dixon, commencing with a business session at 10 a. m., and completing the program in the afternoon with addresses, the most important one of which will be delivered by Dr. J. H. Stalley of Freeport.

A large number of the Lee county physicians will attend the meeting of the organization, and invitations have been sent to many doctors in nearby cities and towns.

TWO DEAD IN WRECK.

Niles, O., May 28—Special to Telegraph—Two men were killed and one fatally injured when a Pennsylvania passenger train collided with a freight train near here today.

OFFICIAL PROGRAM FOR MEMORIAL DAY

PROCESSION TO BE FORMED AT 1:45 P. M. ON GALENA AVENUE.

EXERCISES COMMENCE AT 2

After the Music, Prayer and Speaking, Procession Will Go to Cemetery to Decorate Graves.

Below will be found the official program for the Memorial day exercises, parades, etc., to be held at the Court House square and in Oakwood cemetery in Dixon, Friday afternoon, May 30th, under the auspices of Dixon Post No. 299, G. A. R., Spanish War Veterans, Women's Relief Corps No. 219, Ladies of the G. A. R. No. 73 and the Sons of Veterans No. 47:

Order of Procession.

Procession will be formed by Captain G. G. Messer, marshal of the day, at 1:45 p. m., on Galena avenue, right resting at Nachusa House and march south to Third street, west to Peoria avenue, north to First street, east to Galena avenue, south to entrance of Court House square, as per order of the marshal of the day.

Morris Rosbrook, trumpeter of the 3rd brigade, will act as bugler. There will be exercises in Court House square at 2 p. m.

Order of Exercises.

Call to order by Post Commander—S. W. Youngman
Martial Music
Prayer by Post Chaplain, Samuel Moon
Y. M. C. A. Quartet
Oration—F. D. Altman, D. D.

On conclusion of the exercises the procession will march out of the exit of the Court House square, south to Third street, thence to Oakwood cemetery, where prayer will be offered. Wreaths and flowers will be distributed to school children, and deceased soldiers' graves will be decorated. At the G. A. R. burial lot, at the east end of the cemetery, a cenotaph will be dedicated in memory of comrades buried in unknown graves.

Martial Music.

A salute will be fired by the G. A. R., benediction and "taps," after which the procession will re-form in reverse order and return to Court House square, where the parade will be dismissed.

New Names on Honored Roll.

The names that have been added to the list of the honored dead, the veterans of American wars who died in this vicinity since last Memorial day and whose graves, together with the several hundred others passed before them, will be decorated with flowers on Friday, and are as follows:

Oakwood Cemetery, Dixon.

Stake No.
210 Henry H. Williams, H, 52nd Inf., Vol.
211 Joseph Brewer, E, 34th Ill. Inf.
212 James C. Rice, F, 69th N. Y.
213 Jacob Senneff, D, 34th Ill. Inf.
214 Joseph Graff, E, 127th Ill. Inf.
215 W. H. Peacock, A, 75th Ill. Inf.
216 C. C. Bierce, D, 15th Ill. Inf.
217 W. W. Vann, E, 21st Iowa Inf.
218 L. E. Hart, I, 4th Pa. Cav.
219 Uriah Stroup, H, 69th Ill. Inf.
220 Thos. Wade, Bat. F, 1st Ill. Art.
221 J. R. Dixon, A, 134th Ill. Inf.
222 Francis Forsyth, Lieut. D, 34th Ill. Inf.
223 Peter Blackburn, B, 27th Reg. Army.
Sugar Grove Cemetery.

Stake No.
17 D. M. Hubbard, B, 13th Ill. Inf.
Grand Detour Cemetery.

Stake No.
41 T. F. Brooke, D, 34th Ill. Inf.

WEATHER REPORT

The following report of high and low temperatures and precipitation is taken each morning at 7 o'clock and is for the preceding 24 hours:

	Max	Min.	Precep.
Sunday	62	44	1.10
Monday	75	43	.18
Tuesday	56	41	.03
Wednesday	75	53	

Illinois: Fair Tuesday, warmer except in the extreme southern portion. Wednesday fair and warmer. Moderate north winds becoming south by Wednesday.
Sunrise, 4:19; sunset, 7:16. Moon rise, 12:32.

DEVINE IS WARNED THAT HE MUST FAVOR THE GOOD ROADS BILL

DEKALB CHRONICLE SAYS ATTITUDE MAY COST HIM SECOND TERM.

SAYS LEE CO. IS SELFISH

Declares That We Have Good Stone in This County and Don't Need State Help.

The DeKalb Chronicle has the following warning to Representative Devine, anent his attitude toward the Tice good roads bill:

Representative John Devine of Dixon is in danger of getting in bad with his democratic constituents in DeKalb county if he doesn't make a quick change of front on the good road bill which is to come up next Wednesday.

At present Mr. Devine is against the good road bill, which is the one to give state aid to the building of roads in the state, and as a result most of the leading democrats of the township who are good road boosters, are beginning to alter some of the favorable notions they had regarding a second term for the Dixon man.

Lee is Selfish.
Lee county's attitude is an entirely selfish one. Lee county has a lot of limestone rock easily accessible and for years this has been applied with little expense by the county, making the roads of Lee county remarkably good.

As a result Lee county's roads are in good shape and don't need any assistance, consequently it is claimed, Mr. Devine had the Lee county supervisors adopt resolution against the good roads bill and is opposing it with his warrant for his conduct.

DeKalb Wants Bill.
It happens that DeKalb is not so lucky as Lee county and the good road propaganda here is very popular. "Now," say the local democrats, "DeKalb is just as much in Devine's district as Lee and we need the good roads. So does Whiteside."

"Mr. Devine has had quite a feeling of friendliness developed lately and ought to be in line for a second term if he shows a disposition to assist DeKalb county in its wants, but if he is going to back DeKalb county's desire for improvement we can promise him that he will have to fight for what he gets in the future from this part of the balliwick."

FILES DELINQUENT TAXES FOR SALE

County Treasurer Frank C. Vaughan today filed with County Judge Scott the judgement docket of delinquent taxes on which he will ask judgement next Monday; the law requiring that the docket be filed five days before the order is entered. The tax sale will take place one week from next Monday.

DAVY JONES SOLD TO TOLEDO

Dixon baseball fans will be interested in the announcement in Chicago papers this morning that Davy Jones, former Dixon Brown, Chicago Cub, Detroit Tiger and Chicago White Sox, has been sold by Manager Callahan of the Sox to Toledo. The deal probably marks Davy's passing from major league baseball.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS FOR COMING WEEK

Wednesday
Pioneer Whist Club — Mrs. Geo. Loveland.
Prayer Meeting—Churches.
Happy Hearts — Mrs. Louis Flen.
K. & L. of S.—At Maccabee Hall.
Thursday
Wantoknow Club with Mrs. A. Eichler.
Young Men's Mass Meeting at City Hall, 8 P. M.
Young Ladies' Auxiliary of Presbyterian Church with Mrs. A. A. Rowland.
Friday
Colonial Club Dance.
Memorial Exercises.
Sunday
Services, Mt. Union, 2 p. m.

Social Happenings

Married Sixty-Six Years
DeKalb Advertiser: Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Halsh are celebrating the 66th anniversary of their wedding today. Many friends dropped in the bank to congratulate Mr. Halsh this morning. More intimate acquaintances called at the house later in the day, but as Mrs. Halsh is not strong there was not reception.

The bride and groom took a pleasant ride in their new auto during the warm hours of the day.

Mr. and Mrs. Halsh were married in DuPage county. Mr. Halsh said this morning that he celebrated the wedding day by planting corn with a hoe.

Mr. and Mrs. Halsh worked hard during their early years and in the evening of life they are enjoying the fruits of their labor.

Tonight their beautiful home on north Third street will be illuminated with 66 electric lights.

Sixtieth Anniversary
Mr. and Mrs. John Harpman of Sterling last week celebrated their sixtieth anniversary. The day was quietly observed at their home with their children and grand children.

Sharkey-Gillan
Yesterday morning in Maytown at St. Patrick's Catholic church at 7:30 o'clock the marriage of Miss Anna Helen Sharkey and Richard Gillan was solemnized. The ceremony was performed by Father Porcella.

The bride was charmingly gowned in white voile over white satin and she wore a veil caught by lilies of the valley. Her flowers were of bride's roses and she carried a white rosary. Miss Rose Sharkey, a sister of the bride, attended her. The bridesmaid wore a gown of white embroidery. She also carried roses. The groom was attended by his brother, Charles Gillan.

An elegant wedding breakfast was served to the relatives at the home of the bride after the ceremony. Both Mr. and Mrs. Gillan are very popular young people and possess many friends who wish them every happiness.

At Prairieville
Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Klosterman entertained at dinner Sunday at their home near Prairieville, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Graehling, Sterling.

At LeFevre Home in Sterling
Misses Marie, Lavina, and Alice Martin and Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Lehman of Dixon were entertained over Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Grant LeFevre in Sterling.

Is 92 Years Old
Colonel Thomas Morgan of Peoria avenue, reached his 92nd birthday Monday. The day was not celebrated, but the members of the W. R. C. and comrades of the G. A. R. Post remembered the date and surprised the gentleman with a postal shower. Among the cards he received were some from the 74th regiment of Indiana, he being a member of this regiment.

Mr. Morgan is a highly respected citizen of this city and his friends hope that his days with us may be many and happy.

Guests of Mrs. Harvey.
Mrs. Newberry and daughter, Miss Mary, of Cleveland will arrive Friday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Harvey.

Commemoration Service
Following is the program of the commemoration service of the founding of the 1st Baptist church of Dixon, Wednesday evening, May 28th, at 7:45.
Organ Prelude—"I Waited for the Lord"—Mendelssohn
Miss Elizabeth Brenela
Anniversary Hymn No. 2
Invocation—Rev. C. E. Stebbins.
Scripture Reading—Rev. O. R. Thomas
Anthem—"I Was Glad"—T. D. Williams
Chorus Choir
Welcome Address—Frank Pratt
Greetings—Dixon Y. M. C. A., Mr. E. B. Raymond, and President Dixon Ministers' Association, Rev. F. D. Altman, D. D., President
Anniversary Hymn No. 1
Reading of Greetings from Former Pastors—John B. Crabtree
Duet—"The Baptist Pioneers"—Words by Mrs. Lydia Parks
Meadames Read and Ballou
Address—Rev. W. J. Peacock
Moderator Dixon Baptist Association Hymn No. 518—"Glorious Things of Thee Are Spoken"
Benediction—Rev. George Smith
Postlude—Scotson Clark
The program will be followed by a social hour in the church parlors.

Guest of Mrs. Shaw.
Mrs. Arlene S. Hyde of Chicago is here for a few days' visit with Mrs. Eustace Shaw and other friends.

St. Ann's Guild.
St. Ann's Guild will meet tomorrow with Mrs. Geo. Squires, instead of Friday.

Completes School Work
Miss Esther Dement is expected to arrive home this evening from Tarrytown, N. Y., where she has been attending Miss Mason's school, from which institution the Dixon young lady graduated yesterday.

For Miss Moseley
Miss Vera Jacobus will entertain this evening for Miss Florence Moseley, who is soon to be married.

At Harrington Home.
Mesdames Blinn Smith, Dwight Rolph, Theo. Wilson, John Stager enjoyed a drive yesterday to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Harrington.

Meet Tomorrow.
There will be a special meeting at 2:30 p. m. in their hall by the Royal Neighbors. All officers are requested to be present. No excuse except sickness accepted. Meeting is called to complete arrangements for Memorial service Sunday.
By Order of Oracle.

Elks Dance Tonight.
The members of the Elks and families will enjoy a dancing party at their club rooms this evening, for which the Marquette orchestra will play.

At Rink Home.
Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Bodwell of St. Louis are guests at the home of his grandfather, Wm. Rink.

Met Yesterday.
The Ladies' Auxiliary to the Y. M. C. A. held a special business meeting today with Mrs. Wil Beier.

Guest of Miss Pankhurst.
Mrs. Will Haas of Chicago, formerly Miss Marian Mahon, is a guest of Miss Bess Pankhurst of Grand Detour. Mrs. Haas taught in the kindergarten at the North Side schools.

To Serve Ice Cream.
The ladies of Grand Detour will serve ice cream and delicious cake of their own baking Friday afternoon at the Aid hall. The proceeds will be used in cleaning up the cemetery and it is hoped the patronage will be large.

Dance Friday Night.
There will be a dance held at the Wm. F. Janssen residence on the Dutch road at the old Ortigsen place Friday night.

YOU SEE
It's this way: Glasses fit or they don't fit. They fit if they have received the careful attention of a competent "fit-it"—work such as that done by

DR. ROSE OPTICIAN
Tests Eyes, Sells Glasses.
214 First St. Phone 461

Phidian Art Club.
The last regular meeting of the year for the Phidian Art club was held Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. W. C. Durkes. Mrs. Lee Read favored with a double vocal number "I Know a Hill" and "In the Land Where Dreams Come True," accompanied by Mrs. Edwards.

Mrs. Louise Steel gave the paper, on "Tennyson and His Friends." It started with the poet's parentage, childhood and companionship of his brothers, who also wrote poems. Some of his closest friends were Carlyle, Hawthorne, Gladstone and such others. A tribute was read to Arthur Hallam, who died very young, and for whom Tennyson wrote "In Memoriam," conceded his greatest effort, though his "Idylls of the King" gained more popularity.

Queen Victoria made him poet laureate in 1850 and he lived until 1892.

The Phidians will close the year with a picnic June 14.

His 50th Birthday.
N. H. Jensen is today quietly celebrating his 50th birthday anniversary. In commemoration of the event he entertained a few friends with an auto ride this morning.

Decoration Day Dance.
The Colonial club will entertain with a Decoration day dance at the new armory Friday evening. The Marquette orchestra will play.

Entertained
Misses Agnes Newcomer and Susie Moser entertained 30 friends on Friday eve at the Colonial Inn with a delicious four-course luncheon. Music and games were indulged in. At a late hour all departed, voting Misses Newcomer and Moser royal hostesses.

Entertained Class.
Mrs. Will Trein was hostess to her class of young men of the Sunday school of St. Paul's Lutheran church last evening at her home and the boys report an exceptionally happy evening and Mrs. Trein an ideal hostess. An evening of games and music was enjoyed and refreshments delicious and inviting were served and appreciated.

Kant-to-Know Club.
The Want-to-Know club will be entertained tomorrow afternoon by Mrs. Adolph Eichler.

Motored to Dixon.
Mr. and Mrs. Pearl Herrick of Polo motored to Dixon today.

OAKWOOD BEING CLEANED UP.
A force of about fourteen men has been at work for several days cleaning up the grounds in Oakwood cemetery and have succeeded in making a vast improvement there. Superintendent Barry and Commissioner Van Bibber are taking great pride in the work and are grooming the grounds for Memorial day. The grass has been trimmed, roadways smoothed, and cleaned, etc.

SON IS BORN
A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Heckman of near Grand Detour last evening.

IS IMPROVING
Mrs. Ole Anderson, who has been very ill, is much improved in health.

CLOSE DUTY HEARINGS
Senate Sub Committees Begin Real Work Tomorrow.

Tariff Bill Will Be Put in Shape in Star Chamber Session—Many Changes Likely.

Washington, May 28.—The senate sub-committee has closed public hearings on the Wilson-Underwood tariff bill.

The real work of shaping the tariff bill will begin in the senate tomorrow when the subcommittees meet in executive session to go over the bill a paragraph at a time.

Certain changes have been clearly indicated during the public hearings. Wheat, oats, rye and barley probably will be placed on the free list, ferro manganese will be free listed, the cotton schedule will be more carefully classified and probably will be placed on the free list, a small duty on wool with correspondingly higher duties on woolen goods may be recommended, a large number of trust-made articles will be stripped of protective duties, and the administrative clauses will be made somewhat less drastic, to meet the objections of importers and foreign governments.

Mrs. John Shank and Mrs. E. E. Dysart are visiting friends in Sterling today.

G. E. Boynton visited the Amboy branch of the Boynton Richards stores today.

Mrs. A. P. Arrington has returned from a visit with her daughter, Dorothy, who is studying at Champaign.

CAST OF SENIORS IN A CLEVER PLAYETTE
GRADUATES OF DIXON HIGH SCHOOL WILL ENTERTAIN FRIDAY EVE.

The following is the cast of characters for the senior class playlet, "Miss Civilization," which will be given at Dixon high school building Friday evening in connection with the class night exercises:

Part 1.
Alice Gardner, daughter of president of road Helen Clark
Joseph Hatch, alias Gentleman Joe Lloyd Scriven
Brick Meakin, alias Reddy the Kid Wayne Julien
Harry Hayes, alias Grandstand Harry Irving Countryman
Captain Lucas, Chief of Police Joseph Keenan
Alice Gardner and her mother are alone at their home in the country, when the former discovers three burglars breaking into the house. She telephones to the nearest station to send a crew, saying that she will hold the men until the arrival of assistance. Her carrying out of this promise, talking to the men and feeding them makes an interesting and humorous scene.

Part 2.
Piano Solo—Olive Bender.
Class History—Caroline Simonson.
Piano Duet—Ethel Gorham and Alice Ackert.
Class Prophecy—Goldie Stacey.
Class Will—Joseph Keenan.
Class Song—Class of 1913.

ASK SCHOOL CHILDREN TO HONOR VETERANS
THEY ARE TO BRING FLOWERS AND MARCH TO CEMETERY WITH THEM.

Again the school children have been asked to assist in the collection and distribution of flowers on Memorial day. It is peculiarly fitting that those who are just entering into the inheritance of a united and prosperous country should remember the valor and patriotism of the defenders of the Union by gathering for and placing upon their graves the symbols of peace and beauty.

Last year the children responded generously and about 300 were in line of march. To exceed that number all pupils above the second year grade, who are able to march, should be urged to participate.

Pupils should take their flowers to their different buildings before nine o'clock Friday morning.

W. R. SNYDER.

ANNUAL EXHIBIT OF STUDENTS WORK
FINE EXHIBIT AT THE FOUR SOUTH SIDE SCHOOLS TOMORROW.

The annual exhibit of the Dixon schools will be held in each of the buildings—Truman, Woodworth, E. C. Smith and High school—on tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock.

All kinds of work of the grades will be shown—written lessons, sewing, drawing and manual training. Patrons and friends are urged to come to the exhibit. It is all new work and well worth examination.

The exhibit in the high school building will be open from 7:30 to 9 at night.

FREIGHT WRECK AT FRANKLIN GROVE
The westbound noon passenger on the Northwestern was delayed nearly three hours today by a freight derailment at Franklin Grove. Several cars were piled up, completely blocking both tracks.

HEAT STOPPED BRICK LAYING
The excessive heat this afternoon was too much for the men engaged in putting in the pavement on Second street, and accordingly work was discontinued for a couple of hours.

FINE ENTERTAINMENT AT FRANKLIN GROVE
Major R. H. Hendershol, the "Original Drummer Boy of the Rappahannock" and his son, one of the most wonderful fife and drum teams in America, will furnish entertainment Friday evening, June 13th, at the Camp Grounds in Franklin Grove, Ill. Admission 25c. 26 2*

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FOUND. Lady's handbag. Owner can have same by paying for ad and describing property. Call at 317 Spruce St. 27 3*

FOR SALE Dahlia bulbs for sale cheap. Miss Rink, Phone 140. 27 3

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LOST. Bell to automobile whistle. Finder please leave at Manges' Feed Sheds. Dr. L. B. Swingley. Phone 358. 27 3*

FOR SALE. Family launch. 21 feet long, 7 h. p. engine. Outfit in first class condition. R. H. Espy. 27 6

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WANTED. To buy little pigs. Call K-12. Wm. Kime. 27 3*

LOST. Crocheted handbag between fire hall and W. Greig residence on north side Monday morning. Mrs. W. S. Fletcher. 27 3

FOR SALE. 5 Michigan steel rowboats, fully equipped and in good condition. John Emery, 1503 West First. 27 1*

FOR SALE. Massive 3-piece parlor suit in perfect condition. Upholstered in genuine cow hide leather. Will sell very cheap if taken at once. 324 Central Place. Phone 14532. 27 3

WANTED. Salesman for an established tea and coffee route in town and surrounding country. Liberal commission. Apply at once. Gt. Atlantic & Pacific Tea Co. Davenport, Ia. 27 3* was here today.


City In Brief
Mrs. A. K. Trusdell is ill.
Miss Sylvia Garthwaite, a graduate of Dixon college, who has been teaching in the west, was a week end visitor at the home of Commissioner M. J. Gannon.
Mrs. Lawrence Sullivan, who has been ill, is reported to be much better today.
Jacob Smith, John Hoover and John Royer of Sterling were here last evening.
Joseph Green of Chicago is spending his vacation in Dixon.
Miss Sue Steele, R. N., will come Saturday for a month's vacation, accompanied by her nephew, Master Henry Bokhof, who will go to Chicago Saturday morning.
Postmaster Chadwick of Ashton called on Dixon friends today.
A. H. Richards, of the Distilled Water Ice Company of Dixon, was in Amboy on business today.

FISH SWARM IN SLOUGHS.
Ted Phillips of near Nelson reports an unprecedented condition in the sloughs on his farm along the river, where the high water has backed up and made large ponds. The fish, mainly carp and buffalo, have swarmed in the sloughs in thousands, using the ponds as hatcheries and the waters are alive and clogged with splashing, swirling schools of the funny tribes.

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DEMENTTOWN ... DOINGS

Better plan to attend the big mass meeting tomorrow night and thereby get to be a booster.

A certain Dixon man went to the circus Monday evening and visited the animal show. He declined, however, to look at the monkeys on the grounds that he had seen enough of them the morning before. Which morning before must, therefore, have been a morning after.

Goose Hollow Letter

Hod Peters has started a vegetable garden out back of his house. He will work on it about three days and then his wife will do the rest.

Miss Euphemie Perkins, our poetess of passion, says she will write for a living in the future. Friends will kindly omit flowers.

Deacon Stubbs' mule Hyacinth is suffering from the artistic temperament and Doc Hanks has been called in. Doc says he cured the deacon, so he ought to be able to cure the mule.

The feller who burns the candle at both ends may be extravagant, but it is cheaper than electric lights, at that.

It is stated by one of the truthful scribes in that locality that a Pittsburg man may be cited before the probate judge for examination as to his sanity. It is said that he seems determined to buy and pay for a home instead of buying an automobile. His case is so unusual that it has attracted much attention.

TIME TABLE.

ILLINOIS CENTRAL RY.

Correct time of a. trains leaving Dixon that carry passengers and freight. Daily. *Daily except Sunday.

119 Local Express	8:18 a. m.
123 Southern Exp Dly	11:18 a. m.
131 Clinton Express	5:09 p. m.
Amboy Freight	8:50 a. m.

North Bound.

132 Waterloo Exp	9:50 a. m.
124 Local Mail Dly	5:30 p. m.
120 Local Express	8:05 p. m.
Freeport Freight	12:30 p. m.

CHICAGO & NORTHWESTERN RY.
Correct time of all passenger trains leaving Dixon. Daily except where otherwise specified:

East Bound to Chicago.

No.	Lv. Dixon	Ar. Chicago
6	3:23 a. m.	6:45 a. m.
24	6:37 a. m.	9:15 a. m.
28	7:22 a. m.	10:30 a. m.
18	8:12 a. m.	11:00 a. m.
14	11:29 a. m.	2:15 p. m.
20	11:08 a. m. dly ex Sun	2:50 p. m.
4	4:07 p. m. dly ex Sun	7:25 p. m.
100	4:15 p. m. Sun only	7:25 p. m.
12	6:10 p. m.	8:45 p. m.

West Bound.

No.	Lv. Chicago	Ar. Dixon
5	7:00 a. m. ex Sun	10:20 a. m.
99	7:10 a. m. Sun only	10:23 a. m.
13	10:15 a. m.	12:53 p. m.
19	12:15 p. m. dly ex Sun	3:34 p. m.
27	4:20 p. m.	7:26 p. m.
11	6:05 p. m.	8:40 p. m.
25	6:10 p. m.	8:57 p. m.
17	8:30 p. m.	10:58 p. m.
7	10:02 p. m.	12:36 a. m.
3	10:45 p. m.	1:57 a. m.
801	Peoria Pas. Lv. Dixon	8:15 a. m.
	Ar. Peoria	11:32 a. m.

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CHAPTER XXXIV.

The Hut Changes Its Name.

That night Oswald was taken very ill. For three days his life hung in the balance, then youth and healthy living triumphed over shock and bereavement, and he came slowly back to his sad and crippled existence.

He had been conscious for a week or more of his surroundings, and of his bitter sorrows as well, when one morning he asked Doris whose face it was he had seen bending over him so often during the last week: "Have you a new doctor? A man with white hair and a comforting smile? Or have I dreamed this face? I have had so many fancies this might easily be one of them."

"No, it is not a fancy," was the quiet reply. "Nor is it the face of a doctor. It is that of a friend. One whose heart is bound up in your recovery; one for whom you must live, Mr. Brotherson."

"I don't know him, Doris. It's a strange face to me. And yet, it's not altogether strange. Who is this man and why should he care for me so deeply?"

"Because you share one love and one grief. It is Edith's father whom you see at your bedside. He has helped to nurse you ever since you came down this second time."

"Edith's father! Doris, it cannot be. Edith's father!"

"Yes, Mr. Challoner has been in Derby for the last two weeks. He has only one interest now; to see you well again."

"Why?"

Doris caught the note of pain, if not suspicion, in this query, and smiled as she asked in turn:

"Shall he answer that question himself? He is waiting to come in. Not to talk. You need not fear his talking. He's as quiet as any man I ever saw."

The sick man closed his eyes, and Doris watching, saw the flush rise to his emaciated cheek, then slowly fade away again to a pallor that frightened her. Had she injured where she would heal? Had she pressed too suddenly and too hard on the ever gaping wound in her invalid's breast? She gasped in terror at the thought, then she faintly smiled, for his eyes had opened again and showed a calm determination as he said:

"I should like to see him. I should like him to answer the question I have just put you. I should rest easier and get well faster—or not get well at all."

This latter he half whispered, and Doris, tripping from the room may not have heard it, for her face showed no further shadow as she ushered in Mr. Challoner, and closed the door behind him. She had looked forward to this moment for days. To Oswald, however, it was an unexpected excitement and his voice trembled with something more than physical weakness as he greeted his visitor and thanked him for his attentions.

"Doris says that you have shown me this kindness from the desire you have to see me well again, Mr. Challoner. Is this true?"

"Very true. I cannot emphasize the fact too strongly."

Oswald's eyes met his again, this time with great earnestness.

"You must have serious reasons for feeling so—reasons which I do not quite understand. May I ask why you place such value upon a life which, if ever useful to itself or others, has lost and lost forever, the one delight which gave it meaning?"

It was for Mr. Challoner's voice to tremble now, as reaching out his hand, he declared, with unmistakable feeling:

"I have no son. I have no interest in life, outside this room and the possibilities it contains for me. Your attachment to my daughter has created a bond between us, Mr. Brotherson, which I sincerely hope to see recognized by you."

Startled and deeply moved, the young man stretched out a shaking hand towards his visitor, with the feeble but exulting cry:

"Then you do not blame me for her wretched and mysterious death. You hold me guiltless of the misery which nerve her despairing arm?"

"Quite guiltless."

Oswald's wan and pinched features took on a beautiful expression and Mr. Challoner no longer wondered at his daughter's choice.

"Thank God!" fell from the sick man's lips, and then there was a silence during which their two hands met.

It was some minutes before either spoke and then it was Oswald who said:

"I must confide to you certain facts. I honored your daughter and realized her position fully. Our plight was never made in words, nor should I have presumed to advance any claim to her hand if I had not made good my expectations, Mr. Challoner. I

meant to win both her regard and yours by acts, not words. I felt that I had a great deal to do and I was prepared to work and wait. I loved her—"

He turned away his head and the silence which filled up the gap united those two hearts as the old and young are seldom united.

But when a little later Mr. Challoner rejoined Doris, in her little sitting-room, he nevertheless showed a perplexity she had hoped to see removed



"I Have No Son."

by this understanding with the younger Brotherson.

The cause became apparent as soon as he spoke.

"These brothers hold by each other," said he. "Oswald will hear nothing against Orlando. He says that he has redeemed his fault. He does not even protest that his brother's word is to be believed in this matter. He does not seem to think that necessary. He evidently regards Orlando's personality as speaking as truly and satisfactorily for itself, as his own does. And I dared not undeceive him."

"He does not know all our reasons for distrust. He has heard nothing about the poor washerwoman."

"No, and he must not—not for weeks. He has borne all that he can."

"His confidence in his older brother is sublime. I do not share it; but I cannot help but respect him for it."

It was warmly said, and Mr. Challoner could not forbear casting an anxious look at her upturned face. What he saw there made him turn away with a sigh.

"This confidence has for me a very unhappy side," he remarked. "It shows me Oswald's thought. He who loved her best, accepts the cruel verdict of an unreasoning public."

Doris' large eyes burned with a weird light upon his face.

"He has not had my dream," she murmured, with all the quiet of an unmoved conviction.

Yet as the days went by, even her manner changed towards the busy inventor. It was hardly possible for it not to. The high stand he took; the regard accorded him on every side; his talent; his conversation, which was an education in itself, and above all, his absorption in a work daily advancing towards completion, removed him so insensibly and yet so decidedly, from the hideous past of tragedy with which his name, if not his honor, was associated, that, unconsciously to herself, she gradually lost her icy air of repulsion and left him a more or less attentive ear, when he chose to join their small company of an evening. The result was that he turned so bright a side upon her that toleration merged from day to day into admiration and memory lost itself in anticipation of the event which was to prove him a man of men, if not one of the world's greatest mechanical geniuses.

Meantime, Oswald was steadily improving in health, if not in spirits. He had taken his first walk without any unfavorable results, and Orlando decided from this that the time had come for an explanation of his device and his requirements in regard to it. Seated together in Oswald's room, he broached the subject thus:

"Oswald, what is your idea about what I'm making up there?"

"That it will be a success."

"I know; but its character, its use?"

"I've an idea; but my idea doesn't fit the conditions."

"How's that?"

"The shed is too closely hemmed in. You haven't room—"

"For what?"

"To start an aeroplane."

"Yet it is certainly a device for flying."

"I supposed so; but—"

"It is an air-car with a new and valuable idea—the idea for which the whole world has been seeking ever since the first aeroplane found its way up from the earth. My car needs no room to start in save that which it

occupies. If it did, it would be but the modification of a hundred others."

"Orlando!"

Oswald thus gave expression to his surprise, their two faces were a study: the fire of genius in the one; the light of sympathetic understanding in the other.

"If this car, now within three days of its completion," Orlando proceeded, "does not rise from the oval of my hangar like a bird from its nest, and after a wide and circling flight descend again into the self-same spot without any swerving from its direct course, then have I failed in my endeavor and must take a back seat with the rest. But it will not fail. I'm certain of success, Oswald. All I want just now is a sympathetic helper—you, for instance; some one who will aid me with the final fittings and hold his peace to all eternity if the impossible occurs and the thing proves a failure."

"Have you such pride as that?"

"Precisely."

"So much that you cannot face failure?"

"Not when attached to my name. You can see how I feel about that by the secrecy I have worked under. No other person living knows what I have just communicated to you. Every part shipped here came from different manufacturing firms; sometimes a part of a part was all I allowed to be made in any one place. My fame, like the ship, must rise with one bound into the air, or it must never rise at all. I was not made for petty accomplishment, or the slow plodding of commonplace minds. I must startle, or remain obscure. That is why I chose this place for my venture, and you for my helper and associate."

"You want me to ascend with you?"

"Exactly."

"At the end of three days?"

"Yes."

"Orlando, I cannot."

"You cannot? Not strong enough yet? I'll wait then—three days more."

"The time's too short. A month is scarcely sufficient. It would be folly, such as you never show, to trust a nerve so undermined as mine till time has restored its power. For an enterprise like this you need a man of ready strength and resources; no one whose condition you might be obliged to consider at a very critical moment."

(To Be Continued)

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Boston, May 28.—The defense in the dynamite conspiracy trial succeeded in introducing evidence that on the night of January 19, 1912, during the hours when the government alleges President William M. Wood of the American Woolen company and Frederick E. Atteaux were furthering a conspiracy to "plant" dynamite at Lawrence, both defendants were attending a conference of mill agents, during which an appeal to the strikers to return to work was agreed upon.

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Factory Owner Shoots Teamster Who Goes to Girl's Aid.

Terre Haute, Ind., May 28.—Emil Ehrman, junior member of the Ehrman Overall company, shot and killed Edward Wade, a teamster, in front of the factory. Ehrman, it is said, had just struck one of the girl strike-breakers employed at the factory, where a strike has been in force for several weeks, when Wade took the girl's part. Ehrman was sent to jail and the factory put under police rule, as it was feared for a while that lynching might follow the tragedy.

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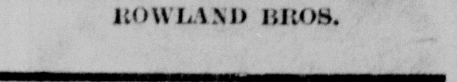


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I have had the most marvelous success in giving relief to many cases of chronic heart disease, valvular disease, all manner of weakness, nervous diseases of the heart, pain around the heart, shortness of breath, palpitation, irregular pulse, and fainting spells. I have had wonderful success in treating all forms of kidney trouble, first stages of Bright's disease, diabetes, congestion of the kidneys, backache, clogging up of the kidneys, irritation of the bladder, catarrh of the bladder, pain in the bladder and all weaknesses connected with these organs. I have had the most marvelous success in treating hematuria, both acute and chronic, cleansing the rheumatic poisons from the blood, creating new healthy condition so that they are completely cured, not just relieved. I am doing these things every day with my new Neuropathic System of Treatment. Many people have come to me in your city; said that the other doctors had pronounced them incurable; they had about given up hope; and have been restored to perfect health by me. I do not publish names of the patients that I cure; but I can give you private references to as many people as you want to go and see of the wonderful cures that I am making with this system of treatment. I treat all chronic weakness and disease by my neuropathic system of treatment—treatment through the nerves, through the circulation, through the blood. It is especially adapted to those cases where there is poison or deranged secretion or clogging up of any of the organs of the body. I say that every chronic disease can be cured if the disease has not gone so far as to destroy the tissues of the organ it has settled in. I want you to prove these things, I do not ask you to take my word; but I ask you to come and try my treatment. Let me explain it to you. Let me show you how it acts, how it cleanses the system, how it builds up and restores strength, vitality, and tone all over the body. I want you to know that I am devoting my life to this work, treating diseases by this system of treatment. I want to help you, if you want to be strong and healthy. There is no reason why you should go around suffering or feel tired, weak and run down, or suffer with those headaches or backaches, or have the fear that you are going to die from weakness of your heart or kidneys. This system of treatment purifies, cleanses, strengthens, invigorates, opens up the kidneys, causes elimination of the poisons, makes you feel like a new person. I ask you to come and see me on my next visit to Dixon. Consultation is free. I am doing this to introduce my treatment to people who have never tried it, to show them how much superior, how much more scientific this treatment is than the old system of treatment. Send word to your friends of this trip. Remember date and the hotel. Be sure and see me if you are suffering. It may save you many hours of suffering. It may save you from a premature death.

DR. E. O. GABLE, 6132 LANGLEY AVE., CHICAGO.

Until a short time ago, scarcely one person in a thousand had ever tasted a really good soda cracker—as it came fresh and crisp from the oven.

Now everybody can know and enjoy the crisp goodness of fresh baked soda crackers without going to the baker's oven.

Uneda Biscuit bring the bakery to you.

A food to live on. Stamina for workers. Strength for the delicate. Give them to the little folks. Five cents.

NATIONAL BISCUIT COMPANY

The Sleep of the Heroes

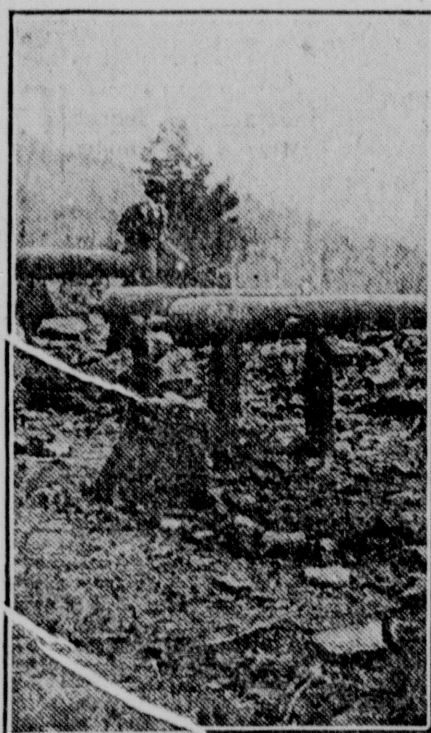


UNDER the summer sun and stars
And under the winter snow
Our heroes sleep, unvexed by wars,
While the seasons come and go.
Kissed by the dew and gentle showers
And arched by the blue above,
They sleep today 'neath a world of flowers,
Left there by a nation's love.

—Denver News.

1863 1913 GETTYSBURG Fifty Years After

IN all the centuries, with their innumerable wars, there have been few great, decisive battles. The world has been full of bloodshed and carnage and the horrid rapine that goes with war, but among the battles innumerable there have been but few that greatly influenced the world's history or decided the fate of nations. Creasy in his standard work on the "Decisive Battles of the World" names but fifteen of them between Marathon and Waterloo, and of all that were fought before and since those epoch making dates none has been greater or more decisive than Gettysburg. The town of Gettysburg is a peaceful little place, brightened and freshened somewhat since the wartime, to be sure, but only slightly larger than then and not very different in outward appearance. Several things about the battleground impress the uninitiated visitor. First is its vast extent. It embraces twenty-five square miles. You may ride over it all day and not see it all. In its monuments and its carefully marked sites of interest it is the most remarkable battlefield of the world.



THE SUMMIT OF LITTLE ROUND TOP.

Here, scattered over the hills and fields, are no fewer than 600 monuments and tablets. Most of them are of elaborate and artistic design, costing all the way from a few hundred to a hundred thousand dollars. The spot of culminating emotions, however, is not the dreadful field of carnage, but the peaceful, beautiful, national cemetery where lie, Under the sod and the dew, Waiting the judgment day, the thousands of brave men, named and nameless. On this spot, within the great semicircle of graves, Lincoln pronounced that most wonderful of orations, simple, brief, eloquent, classic, heart moving—that oration that will live as long as the English language is spoken and whose closing words are engraved on the great national monument which marks the spot where it was delivered.

FOR OUR DEAD—MAY 30.

I.
Flowers for our dead!
The delicate wild roses faintly red,
The valley lily bells as purely white
As shines their honor in the vernal light,
All blooms that be
As fragrant as their fadeless memory.
By tender hands entwined and garlanded,
Flowers for our dead!

II.
Praise for our dead!
For those that followed and for those that led,
Whether they felt death's burning accolade
When brothers drew the fratricidal blade
Or closed undaunted eyes
Beneath the Cuban or Philippine skies,
While waves of our brave bright banner overhead
Praised for our dead!

III.
Love for our dead!
O hearts that droop and mourn, be comforted!
The darkness path through the abysses of pain,
The final hour of travail not in vain,
For Freedom's morning smile
Broadens across the seas from Isle to Isle.
By reverent lips let this fond word be said—
Love for our dead!
—Collier's Weekly.

MONITOR'S LOG PRESERVED.

It Was Given to Navy Department by Captain Stodder.
The original log book of the famous Monitor, covering the period of her engagement with the Confederate Iron-clad Merrimac in Hampton Roads on March 9, 1862, is preserved among the historic records of the navy department. The restoration of the log to the department was due to Captain Louis Stodder of the United States revenue cutter service and an officer on the Monitor during her entire service. For years he treasured the log among his most valuable possessions, but as the infirmities of age increased he desired to see it placed where its preservation might be assured. Hence it was that he forwarded it to the library of the navy department.

The entries cover dates from Feb. 26 to the end of 1862 and tell of the little "cheese box on a raft" foundering off Cape Hatteras on Dec. 31, 1862, when Stodder was acting master, and of her engagements with the Confederate batteries at Sewall's Point, Hampton Roads, and at Fort Darling, in the James river. But by far the most interesting concern the fight with the Merrimac. Among the entries on Sunday, March 9, 1862, are the following:
4 to 8 p. m.—Fine weather and calm. At sunrise saw three steamers lying under Sewall's Point. Made one out to be the rebel steamer Merrimac. At 7:30 got under way and stood toward her and piped all hands to quarters. J. WEBER.
From 8 to meridian—Fine, clear weather. The rebel steamers advancing and opened fire on the Minnesota. At 7:30 opened fire on the Merrimac. From that time until 12 constantly engaged with the Merrimac. LOUIS STODDER.
From meridian to 4 p. m.—Clear weather. At 12:30 fired shell struck the pilot-house, severely injuring Commander Worden. 1 p. m., the Merrimac hauled off in a disabled condition. Stood toward the Minnesota and received on board Assistant Secretary Fox of the navy. 2 p. m., Captain Worden left for Fort Monroe in charge of Surgeon Logue. GEORGE FREDERICKSON.

SPECIAL OFFER FOR TOMORROW

5 dozen Ladies' House Dresses most attractive styles

\$1.00

5 dozen Ladies' House Dresses Handsome Garments

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5 dozen fringed pillow covers made of art crash, ready for your pillow.

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PERSONAL HAPPENINGS AS NOTED IN AMBOY

DAILY LETTER FROM AMBOY DETAILS SOCIAL LIFE AND BUSINESS ACTIVITIES.

Amboy, May 27—

Leon Long, who has been away from home for some time was again here for a visit with his father, W. P. Long. His many friends are always glad to see him. He left Tuesday for South America.

Walter Aschenbrenner will come out from Chicago Thursday to assist in the programs to be given at the senior banquet and for the alumni dancing party, also at the baccalaureate services Sunday evening, playing violin solos. Amboy people are always delighted to hear this skilled musician, especially because he is an Amboy boy.

Miss Anna Ayres returned from Chicago, after a very pleasant visit with her friend, Mrs. Arthur Melten.

George Brewer was here from Lee Center today. He was accompanied by his father-in-law, Mr. Ford, of Hugo, Col.

Marvon Osan is out after a short illness.

Mr. Gehant of Dixon was here today.

Mr. Cortright of Lee Center was here Tuesday.

Mr. Faivre of Maytown was here Tuesday.

Mr. Hogan of Dixon was here this week on business for the Illinois Northern Utilities Co.
P. M. James was in Franklin Grove Tuesday.

Earl Badger was here Tuesday to visit his brother, H. H. Badger. His father, W. H. Badger of Dixon, and Mr. Snyder were also guests at the Badger home.

G. P. Finch was in Franklin Grove Tuesday.

Assessor Frank McBride of Wyoming township returned his books today.

Electric Vacuum Cleaner

Price \$20. This is \$17.50 lower than nearest competitor.

Electric Irons.....\$3.50 and up

Electric fans.....\$8.50 and up

Electric washers.....\$50.00 and up

WE LEAD OTHERS FOLLOW

ELECTRIC SHOP

H. L. DOLLAHAN & CO.

The Weather is Getting Hot

The rain s stopped. The ice picks have arrived—ask the driver for yours or ring 388.

Distilled Water Ice Co.

BLOOD POISON FROM FISH HOOK

John Keller is suffering with blood poison in his right hand, the result of catching a fish hook in his finger several days ago. The scratch became infected and a severe attack of poisoning followed.

Is Recovering.

Asst. Supt. of Streets Geo. Gitt, who has been suffering with an infection in his hand, is recovering slowly.

MISS O'MALLEY'S

FUNERAL TODAY

The funeral of Miss Mary O'Malley, which was held this morning at St. Patrick's church, was very largely attended by friends of the deceased, and the funeral sermon by Father Foley was a fitting eulogy of the life that had passed out. Burial was at Oakwood.

HOLIDAY HOURS AT P. O.

MEMORIAL DAY

Lobby open until 8 p. m. Open again at 5 p. m. Saturday.

Stamp and general delivery windows open until 10 a. m.

No rural delivery. Rural patrons may call between 7 and 10 a. m. for mail.

The usual forenoon delivery will be made by city carriers.

All mail collected by carriers or deposited in the postoffice will be given the regular week-day dispatch.

The regular collections will be made by city carriers until noon and a collection made from the boxes centrally located, between 4 and 6 p. m.

No money order or postal saving business transacted.

Special delivery mail delivered from each train arrival.

AN OBLIGATION

Open a bank account and then consider your monthly deposit an obligation the same as your rent or grocery bill.

It Means Sure Success and Financial Independence

UNION STATE BANK
"THE BANK OF THE PEOPLE"

Flowers For Decoration Day

Carnations the best we ever had. A splendid assortment of Roses and Peonies. Please get your orders in early.

THE DIXON FLOWER SHOP

C. H. FALLSTROM, Prop.

PHONE 107

M'KENZIE DOESN'T LIKE TARIFF BILL

AND DOESN'T THINK PEOPLE
WILL BE SATISFIED
WITH IT

DISCRIMINATES AGAINST FARMER AND MANUFACTURER

Reductions Too Deep—Looks for Re-
union of Progressives and Re-
publicans

Freeport Standard: — Congress-
man John C. McKenzie, who has
been at his home, Elizabeth, for sev-
eral weeks, was here Saturday night
on his way to Lee county, where he
delivered a Memorial day address

Sunday, and he came back to Free-
port on his way home. While here
the Congressman met many of his
constituents and especially the old
soldiers whose pension claims he
has looked after with great prompt-
ness.

The congressman will soon return
to Washington, but just now there is
nothing doing in the house, as the
tariff bill is now pending in the sen-
ate. Mr. McKenzie does not think
the tariff bill as passed by the house
is going to give satisfaction to the
country. While he believes the tariff
on certain schedules should be
reduced, he thinks the present bill
discriminates against the farmer
and will also hit the manufacturers
of certain lines of goods and will cri-
ple home industries.

In regard to the political outlook,

the congressman is hopeful that the
progressive element in the republi-
can party will come into control
and that the party can be united and
win out in the next election.

SEND IN CHURCH NOTICES.

Will the pastors of the various
churches of the city, insofar as they
are able, send in their church no-
tices for Sunday, tomorrow, so that
we may arrange for their publica-
tion Saturday, as the paper is not
printed on Friday, Memorial day?

MT. UNION SERVICES

SUNDAY AFTERNOON

There will be church Sunday af-
ternoon at Mt. Union at 2 o'clock.
Rev. Fred Stone will preach.

ALL ARE DELIGHTED WITH NORTHWEST MISSION

THE HOME OF CORN, CLOVER BLUE GRASS AND WHEAT.

Northwest Missouri is the best all
around farming country in the world.
I make that assertion and back it
with my money. Go with me on Sat-
urday next; after looking our lands
over and learning prices I will leave
the decision to yourself. If you do
not say, as I say above, I will refund
your entire expenses. Take your wife
with you if you wish on this propo-
sition. Both your expenses and the
wife's will be returned to you if you
do not find as I say that Northwest
Missouri is the best all around farm-
country in the world. I am naming
here a few Lee county men who have
bought farms of me:

D. C. LEAKE,
JARVIS LEAKE,
WALTER MERRIMAN,
JOB REICHARD,
J. H. HUYETT,
CLINTON JUDD,
D. B. UHL,
SQUIRE JOHNSON,

and others I can not at this moment
think of.

It is not a long trip. Supper in Dix-
on; breakfast at 6:00 in Chillicothe,
only eight hours from Mendota. Back
to Dixon next day if you wish. I am
here for only one purpose, and that
is to have you see our fine country.
If you want a home or if you have
money that is not bringing the in-
terest it should, look into this.

We made two trips last week. Will
go any evening you wish. Let's go.
Jack Myers has made two trips in
two weeks. Col. Geo. Fruin returned
last Monday; the tide is in that di-
rection. Ask any of the above nam-
ed gentlemen or anyone who has
ever seen the Grand River country
in Northwest Missouri, where corn,
clover, blue grass and wheat has a
natural home.

Address me if you wish.

Faithfully,
ED. H. SMITH.

Dixon, Ill.
Illinois Agt. Bazel J. Meek Land Co.,
303 Galena Ave.

GRADUATION PROGRAM AT FRANKLIN TONIGHT

PUPILS OF RURAL SCHOOLS TO
HOLD EXERCISES—WEST
BROOKLYN TOMORROW
NIGHT

The graduation exercises for the
pupils of the rural schools in the vi-
cinity of Franklin Grove will be held
this evening, E. T. Bailey of this city
making the address of the evening.
The following pupils will graduate:
Raymond J. Eckhart, Roland W. Al-
brecht, Elsie L. Hill, Helen M. Lah-
man, Fern J. Lott, Carl E. Spangler,
Viola G. Hawbaker, Mildred B. Stev-
ens, Herman J. Schultz and Virgil
V. Smith.

At West Brooklyn.

Tomorrow evening the union com-
mencement of the West Brooklyn
rural and town schools will be held.
States Attorney Harry Edwards hav-
ing been engaged to deliver the ad-
dress of the evening.

UNSIGHTLY CORNER IS MADE BEAUTIFUL

TENNIS CLUB HAS WROUGHT A
TRANSFORMATION ON GA-
LENA AND FIFTH.

The Dixon Tennis club is receiving
the merited praise of all the resi-
dents in the vicinity of Galena ave-
nue and Fifth street for the great im-
provement they have made in the vac-
ant lots, which have been transform-
ed from an ash-strewn weed patch
to a neat and well groomed grounds.
The fact that this site is on one of
the most heavily traveled highways
of the city and is passed daily by
countless auto visitors, makes the im-
provement especially noteworthy.

The second court which is being
laid out by the club will be complet-
ed by Friday morning and it is be-
lieved that a tournament will be
played by the members Friday after-
noon. The club membership is to be
limited to 20 ladies and 20 gentle-
men, therefore enthusiasts are warn-
ed that if they wish to join the club
they must communicate with Sec.
Bailey at once.

Walter O'Malley of Moline was
here today.

Geo. Clark of Sterling was here
today.

BOYS OF 61 "LIVE OVER" STIRRING WAR TIMES

Continued from page 1

John H. Sinking, King City,
Mo., F.

Charles W. Snyder, Searsdale,
N. Y., A.

Jas. Farrell, Salt Lake City, K.

J. E. Gray, Lee Center, Ill., C.

T. P. Kellogg, Interlaken, N. Y., I.

E. F. Sprague, Emporia, Kas., F.

J. W. Losee, Pirth, Neb., F.

Surviving Officers

As far as is known the following
are the only surviving officers of the
regiment:

Capt. J. G. Everest, Chicago, I.

Lieut. J. M. Patterson, Kansas
City, Mo., B.

Lieut. Henry D. Dement, Witten,
S. D., A.

Capt. R. A. Smith, Lake City Ia., F.

Capt. W. M. Jenks, Sacramento,
Cal., G.

Lieut. Higby, Florida, D.

Lieut. Silas M. Jackson, Salida,
Col., G.

Lieut. John McClary, Quartermas-
ter, Norfolk, Neb., B.

Adl Reunion

Members Present

Co. A—John King, Dixon

C. H. Noble, Dixon

W. H. Woodyatt, Dixon

Oscar A. Webb, Kushla, Ala.

W. G. McGinnis, Dixon

Co. B—A. W. Anderson, Almond,
Wis.

John McClary, Norfolk, Neb.

Andrew Haberer, Sterling

Gordon M. Pierce, Sterling

John Aument, Sterling

Co. C—O. B. Wyman, Eagle, Grove,
Ia.

D. O. Fairchild, West Brook-
lyn

Willis Bronson, Amboy

J. E. Gray, Lee Center

Co. D—William Payne, Rock Island,
Ill.

Co. F—R. M. Hevenor, 6731 Mc-
Pherson St., Pittsburgh, Pa.

Co. G—Sewall Chamberlain, Pan-
ama, Ia.

Co. H—P. C. Koster, Fulton, Ill.

Co. I—J. G. Everest, Chicago, Ill.

J. B. Lowrey, Chicago, Ill.

Ladies Present

Mrs. G. W. Young, Baraboo, Wis.

Mrs. O. B. Wyman, Eagle Grove,
Ia.

Mrs. William Payne, Rock Island,
Ill.

Mrs. Gordon Pierce, Sterling, Ill.

Mrs. Andrew Haberer, Sterling,
Ill.

NEARLY 100 YEARS A BEDRIDDEN INVALID

RELATIVE OF DIXON PEOPLE
HAS UNIQUE AND PITIFUL
HISTORY.

The Somerset (Pa.) Herald of May
21 devotes a column and a quarter
to a write-up of the 100th birthday
anniversary of Mrs. Mattie Crise,
endearingly known as "Mother".
Crise, who is a great aunt of George
W. Schrock and Mrs. Alex. Rhodes
of this city.

"Mother" Crise's story is a pa-
thetic and intensely interesting one.
She lives near Trent, Middlecreek
township, Somerset county, Pa., from
which vicinity many Lee county set-
tlers or their parents came. She cele-
brated her 100th birthday May 15th,
and in all her 100 years of existence
she has never been farther than five
miles from home, has never seen an
electric light or railroad train, or
talked through a telephone, for she
is an invalid and has spent nearly all
her life in a wheel chair or her bed
in her home in the quiet little moun-
tain hamlet, cared for by her loving
husband, who died 20 years ago and
since then by her three children. At
the age of two and one-half years
she was stricken with infantile paral-
ysis, which left her crippled in her
left limb. Later in life she had blood
poisoning, which withered her right
arm and hand, and she then broke
her right leg so badly that she never
regained its use, so that her only
useful member is her left arm and
hand. A large gathering of neigh-
bors and kindreds joined in the ce-
lebration of her centennial and a
purse of sixty some dollars was
made up. The sheriff of the county,
who also was present, said it was
a shame the purse did not represent
one dollar for every year of her
life, so very generously contributed
four ten-dollar bills, making the
amount over \$100.

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The only Baking Powder made from
Royal Grape Cream of Tartar

Makes delicious home-baked foods
of maximum quality at minimum
cost. Makes home baking
pleasant and profitable

Dramatic Notes

FAMILY THEATRE

The Tambo Duo and Kelsey Bros.
will close their engagement tonight,
both acts proving favorites. The man-
agement has provided an excellent
bill beginning tomorrow, of which
Electrica & Co. are feature attrac-
tions, is an exceptionally good act, a
novelty seldom seen. They are known
as the Conquerors of Electricity. Pic-
tures today: Pathe's Weekly; The
Sheriff of Yavapai County; Anna
Rawley's Fortune, comedy.

OPERA HOUSE.

Two acts, nine people, and pic-

tures the best of the season, comprise
this week's bill at the opera house
for Thursday, Friday, Saturday and
Sunday. As a headliner, J. D. Birn-
ham & Co. in "A Day in School,"
returned from a tour of the leading
has been secured. This act has just
vaudeville houses of America, pre-
sented some of the best comedy and
singing heard in vaudeville. Seven
people go with the number, includ-
ing Miss Grace Walsh, a singer tra-
ined in Berlin, Germany, who, with
her splendid singing wins her audi-
ence on short notice. You will also
sit up and take notice of our special
engagement of Kellar & Whitford,
the boys with the comical ideas in
singing, talking and juggling. Re-
member, too, that our feature picture
for Friday evening will be something
great, entitled "A Wise Old Ele-
phant."

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Why not now?

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Dixon, Ill.

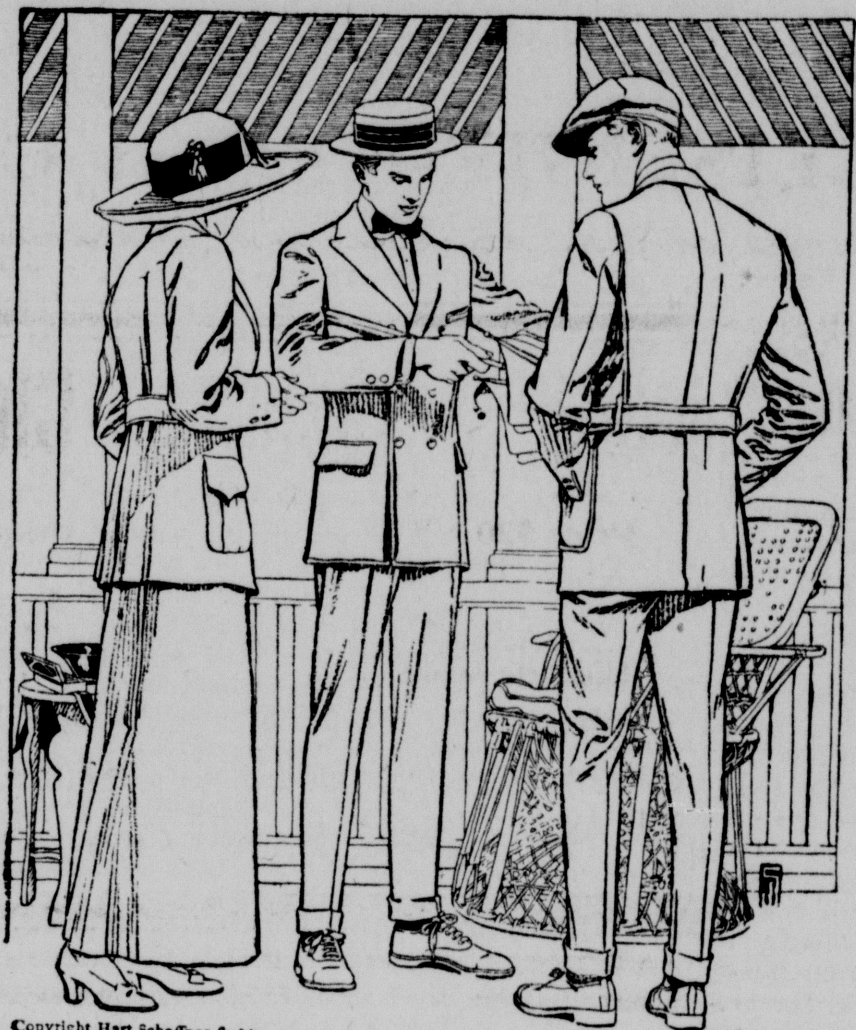
GUY G. MILLER

THE SHERWIN-WILLIAMS PAINTS



FOR ALL KINDS OF
GOOD PAINTING

Thos. Sullivan, Druggist



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Three ways to buy clothes

YOU buy your clothes in one of three
ways. Which do you think is the
best way?

1. You may go to a custom-tailor and have them
"made-to-order." You have delays; try-ons; you don't
know what you're going to have; unless he's an exception-
ally good tailor you are not high'y elated over what you
eventually get anyway.

2. You may pick out a piece of cloth from a book of
samples; have your specifications sent away somewhere;
and wait. If the suit "makes up" as you expected, if it is
trimmed as you hoped, if it fits as you want it to, you're
lucky.

3. You may come to us for Hart, Schaffner & Marx
clothes; see them ready, not merely a piece of cloth; see
how they look on you, not in an illustration or on a dummy
figure; see the linings and trimmings, not merely word;
about them; see how the suit fits, before you buy, not after;
see if its becoming to you, not just guess at it; and take
only a few minutes of your time.

This third way is right; you pay less than in 1;
and get more value than in 2. As a demonstra-
tion of it, ask us to show you our immense line
of suits at \$25.00 also the others, as low as \$15
and as high as \$35.

Four Stores

**Boynston
Richards Co.**

"Every Inch a Clothing Store."
DIXON, ILL.

Four Stores

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Sealed proposals addressed to the Board of Local Improvements of the City of Dixon, Lee County, Illinois, and endorsed, proposals for the furnishing of the labor and materials for, and the construction of Vitrified Brick or Block Pavement on East First Street from the west line of Ottawa Avenue to the east line of Dixon Avenue; On Ottawa Avenue from the south line of East River Street to the north line of East First Street; and from the south line of East First Street to the north line of East Second Street; On Crawford Avenue from the south line of River Street to the north line of East First Street.

Such pavement shall also be constructed in like manner, upon the whole area of Commercial Alley between the points hereinafter designated except where permanent improvements, duly authorized, have been extended into said alley and where no buildings or other permanent structures, against which brick or block may be securely laid, exist along boundaries of said alley; in which latter case a portion of the pavement, six inches wide and extending along the said boundaries, shall be constructed of portland cement concrete of the kind hereinafter specified for curbing, which portion shall have a depth of not less than one foot and the same foundation as is specified for other portions of the pavement and shall be finished with a smooth top in all respects the same as hereinafter specified for the curbing. The said Commercial Alley shall be so paved from the east line of Galena Avenue to the west line of the sidewalk already constructed on the west side of Ottawa Avenue, and from the east line of Ottawa Avenue to the sidewalk already constructed on the west side of Crawford Avenue.

And such pavement shall be extended laterally to the property lines produced, or to the permanent cross walks along such property lines produced, at and upon the intersection area common to the said street, avenues and alley, and the several streets, avenues or alleys which they intersect. Also the construction of concrete curbing on the south side of East First Street from the east line of Ottawa Avenue easterly to the curb heretofore constructed, and from the west line of Dixon Avenue westerly to the curb heretofore constructed; on the north side of East First Street from the east line of Ottawa Avenue easterly to the west line of Crawford Avenue; On the east side of Ottawa Avenue from the north line of East First Street northerly to the south line of Commercial Alley and from the north line of Commercial Alley to the south line of East River Street; On the east side of Crawford Avenue from the north line of Commercial Alley northerly to the south line of East River Street. Such curbing shall be extended at all street intersections to connect with curbs thereat constructed or to be constructed, and be curved at alley intersections and extended to the line of the adjoining property; in the City of Dixon, County of Lee, and State of Illinois, as provided for in Local Improvement Ordinance No. 144, Series of 1913 of said City of Dixon, will be by the secretary of said Board of Local Improvements at the City Clerk's Office in the City of Dixon, Lee County, Illinois, until two o'clock p. m. on Monday, the 2nd day of June, A. D. 1913, and will be publicly opened by the said Board of Local Improvements at a meeting to be held at the said City Clerk's office at the said hour and day, and at the same time and place said Board of Local Improvements will in open session examine such proposals as have been delivered to it and publicly declare the same.

SPECIFICATIONS

That the subgrade for the pavement described in Section One shall be prepared by first removing all materials found upon the roadway to be paved or filling the depressions therein to a grade 10 inches below the grade given. Such subgrade shall then be thoroughly compacted by rolling, tamping and flushing as may be necessary to produce a thoroughly compact and uniform subgrade.

Upon the subgrade so formed shall be placed a foundation of crushed stone, spread to a uniform thickness, the top of which shall be substantially six inches below the grade given. The voids in said stone foundation shall then be thoroughly filled with screenings or sand and the whole thoroughly compacted in like manner as provided for compacting the subgrade. When so compacted the surface shall be at all points substantially six inches below the grade given.

able template. Upon this sand cushion shall be laid suitable vitrified brick or block and the spaces between such bricks or blocks thoroughly filled with with approved pitch or asphalt filler, the kind and quality shall be designated by the bidder in his bid, and rolled until the whole is a firm, compact roadway, conforming at all points to the grade given.

PAVING BRICK OR BLOCKS

The brick must be strictly No. 1 "pavers" of the size commercially known as vitrified brick or vitrified blocks as this matter may be agreed upon between the contractor and the Board of Local Improvements. The width of the "pavers" must not vary to exceed one-eighth of an inch. They must be made of shale, be thoroughly annealed, be tough and durable, regular in size and shape, and evenly burned. When broken, the block shall exhibit a dense, stone-like body, uniform in color throughout the inside, free from lumps of uncrushed shale or clay, from lime, air pockets, cracks, or marked laminations. Kiln marks or surface cracks must not exceed three-sixteenths of an inch in depth. Blocks so distorted in burning that they will not lay evenly in the pavement will be rejected.

"Pavers" of the run or those proposed to be used in the pavement, shall be submitted to a test of an hour in the National Brick Manufacturers' Association, standard rattle adopted in 1911, under the conditions prescribed by that Association, and if the loss by abrasion in such tests exceeds such per cent of the original weight as is named by the bidder in his bid, then such brick or blocks will be rejected. Nor must the individual samples show a loss exceeding the said rate per cent.

The "Pavers" must also stand the following water test: After being thoroughly dried for twenty-four hours at 212 degrees Fahrenheit, and then immersed forty-eight hours in water, they must not absorb to exceed three per cent of their own weight of water.

And regardless of when and where the bricks or blocks have been inspected, the said inspection will not prevent their rejection, at any time, from the improvement.

THE LAYING OF THE BRICK

On the sand cushion the brick shall be laid on edge, close together, in straight lines from curb to opposite curb, at right angles thereto, and perpendicular to the surface of the street. Sufficient space shall be left between courses to permit the filler to flow freely to the bottom of all voids.

In laying the brick joints shall be broken by laps of not less than three (3) inches. For this purpose broken bricks may be used in starting courses and making closures, but no piece of brick is to be less than three inches long when dressed true and square.

After the blocks are laid in the pavement, it shall be thoroughly cleaned and inspected, and all soft and defective blocks removed and replaced with good ones.

Thereafter the pavement shall be rolled to a smooth and even surface with a road roller of not less than four (4) nor more than five (5) tons, weighing from 150 to 175 pounds to the lineal inch in width of roller.

Before rolling is begun, the pavement next the curb shall be firmly tamped to a true and even grade with a sixty-pound tamper; upon a three-inch plank, twelve inches wide and at least eight feet long. Such tamping is to be done elsewhere, also, if for any reason it is not practicable for the roller to operate in such place.

The process of rolling will then begin next to one of the curbs and proceed by narrow laps to the crown of the street. It will then begin at the opposite curb and work to the crown of the street in like manner.

All the rolling lengthwise of the street shall be done in this way, namely: from curb to crown. Transverse or diagonal rolling will be at the direction of the Board of Local Improvements.

BITUMINOUS FILLER

The pitch or asphalt for use as a filler shall be subject to approval by the Board of Local Improvements and shall be of such quality that its melting point shall be not less than 212 degrees Fahrenheit, and of such viscous tenacity that it will adhere to the brick at any temperature usual in the locality, and shall be poured into the voids at a temperature of not more than 250 degrees without having been heated to a temperature greater than 300 degrees, or other similar material equal thereto.

THE ENDS OF THE IMPROVEMENT

At the ends of the improvement there shall be laid a "header" course, from curb to curb, so dressed as to

conform to the cross section of proposed improvement.

Such "header" shall be a row of paving blocks, set on end, such way of the blocks as to be four (4) inches wide, and shall be backed up with a body of macadam, six feet wide, twelve inches deep at the header, and six inches deep at the outer edge.

EARTH REMOVAL

Surplus dirt or stone not used in the construction of this improvement shall be removed to such place as the Board of Local Improvements may direct without additional compensation, but such haul shall not exceed one-half mile.

All rolling shall be with a roller weighing not less than five tons and at each rolling said roller shall be passed over every part of the surface rolled not less than four times.

Sand for this improvement shall be clean, sharp sand, free from clay, loam or gravel, all of which will pass through a screen of four meshes per inch.

CLEARING UP

All rubbish or unused material due to or connected with the construction of this improvement must be removed when the paving is completed.

CURBING

A concrete curbing shall be constructed along both sides of the roadways of said street and avenues for the entire length of the improvement, except where stone or concrete curbing now exists and except across the roadways of the intersecting streets where it shall be turned at the curb lines thereof, with a radius of five feet, and extended along said curb lines to the property lines produced, of said streets and except across the roadways of existing driveway approaches and proposed driveway approaches for the adjoining property, where it shall be turned at the sides thereof, with a radius of five feet, and extended, at right angles, to the street curbs, to the adjacent sidewalk lines.

All curbing shall be set with its road-way face along the established curb lines.

All curbing shall be constructed to grade in accordance with the grade lines herein established.

The curbing shall be twenty inches deep, eight inches thick at the base and six inches thick at the top, the batter being on the road-way face of the curb, with the back of the curb set in a vertical plane. The upper road-way edge shall be rounded to a radius of one inch.

A trench shall be excavated to a depth of six inches below the entire bottom of the curbing, twelve inches in width, on which shall be laid a foundation of sand, gravel, broken stone or cinders six inches in thickness after being compacted. This foundation shall be flooded with water and thoroughly rammed to a true and even surface.

Upon this foundation shall be set the curbing which shall be constructed so as to form one continuous and solid mass, divided every seven feet of its length into separate stones, and the concrete portion of which shall be composed of one part in bulk, of Portland cement, two parts, in bulk, of good, clean, coarse, sharp sand, and four parts, in bulk, of screened gravel of such size that the fragments shall not be larger than one and one-half inches in the greatest dimension. If sand and gravel can be found, already in said proper proportions for said concrete, the same may be used as the aggregate, and mixed in the proportion of one part of cement to five parts of the aggregate.

All cement used in the construction of said curbing shall be American Portland, dry and well seasoned and of equal or better quality than "Medusa."

The ingredients of the concrete shall be thoroughly mixed dry until the mixture shows a uniform color without streaks, then a sufficient amount of water shall be added and the whole mass shall be turned and mixed until mortar adheres to each fragment. The concrete thus mixed shall have such a consistency that when rammed the mass will not shake like jelly, but will when struck, compact within the area of the face of the rammer without displacing the material laterally.

The concrete thus prepared shall be immediately placed in the proper moulds and forms, well tamped and made compact before the cement has begun to set. No retamping of concrete will be permitted.

The exposed surface of the concrete shall be finished with a thin plastered coat, consisting of one part, in bulk, of Portland cement, and one part, in bulk, of clean, sharp sand, which finishing coat shall be put in place before the body of said curbing shall become dry.

the curbing with the materials taken from the excavation. Said back-filling shall be thoroughly tamped.

The finished curbing shall be protected from the sun and wind by covering and by sprinkling with water for at least twenty-four hours after completion.

The work for which said tenders are invited is the construction of about 2185.3 cubic yards of excavation, about 5190.3 cubic yards of clean sand in cushion, about 1557.1 cubic yards of crushed stone in foundation, about 9341.2 square yards of vitrified brick or block pavement, with approved pitch or asphalt filler, about 1030 lineal feet of cement concrete curbing as provided for in Local Improvement Ordinance No. 144 Series of 1913, of the City of Dixon, Illinois.

Each bid for this work must be accompanied by certified check or cash for an amount not less than ten per cent of the aggregate of such proposals. All certified checks must be drawn upon some responsible bank doing business in said City of Dixon and must be payable to the order of the President of the Board of Local Improvements in his official capacity. No bids will be considered unless accompanied by such certified check or cash.

Said cash or certified checks will be held by said Board of Local Improvements until all the bids have been canvassed and the contract has been awarded and signed. The return of said checks or cash to the successful bidder being conditioned upon his appearance within fifteen (15) days after having been notified of the award having been made to him or them, accompanied by his or their bondsmen and executing a contract with said Board of Local Improvements for the completion of the work so awarded and giving a bond satisfactory to said Board of Local Improvements.

A bond of Seventeen Thousand (17,000) Dollars will be required conditioned for the fulfillment of the contract in accordance with the ordinance and specifications and to the satisfaction of the said Board of Local Improvements. All proposals must be made on blanks which will be furnished bidders at said City Clerk's Office.

The payment for the work for which said tenders are invited is to be made in cash or bonds, payable when the contract is complete, and the work accepted by the Board of Local Improvements, bonds to draw interest at five per centum. No bid will be considered unless the party making it shall furnish evidence satisfactory to said Board of Local Improvements of his experience and ability in this class of work and that he can control sufficient capital to enable him to successfully prosecute the same in case the contract shall be awarded to him.

Bidders will examine the ordinance, maps, plans, profiles, and specifications and also the locality in which said work is to be done and judge for themselves of all the circumstances and surrounding conditions affecting the cost and nature of the work.

Specifications may be seen at the office of the City Clerk of the City of Dixon from and after this date. The Board of Local Improvements reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Dated at Dixon, Illinois, May 20th, A. D. 1913.

Signed, BOARD OF LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS OF THE CITY OF DIXON.

By MARK C. KELLER,
His Attorney.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Sealed proposals addressed to the Board of Local Improvements of the City of Dixon, Lee County, Illinois, and endorsed proposals for the furnishing of the labor and materials for, and the construction of Vitrified Brick or Block Pavement upon and along the driveway portion of the roadway of River Street being that portion lying between the south rail of the Chicago and Northwestern Railway Company's main switch track therein located and a line extending from a point nine (9) feet north of the northwest corner of Block No. 5 of the Original Town, now City of Dixon, to a point eleven and one-half (11½) feet north of the northeast corner of said block, which said line is hereby established as the south curb line of the River Street so far as related to this improvement. The said River Street shall be paved from the west line of Hennepin Avenue to the west line of Galena Avenue.

Upon and along the roadway portion, being that portion lying between the curb lines heretofore established by ordinance, of Hennepin Avenue from the north line of First Street to the south line of River Street.

Upon the whole area of Commercial Alley in the said City of Dixon between the points hereinafter designated except where permanent improvements duly authorized have been extended into said alley and where no buildings or other permanent structures, against which brick or block may be securely laid, exist along the boundaries of said alley; in which latter case a portion of the pavement, six inches wide and extending along said boundaries, shall be constructed of portland cement concrete of the kind hereinafter specified for curbing, which portion shall have a depth of not less than one foot and the same foundation as is specified for other portions of the pavement and shall be finished with a smooth top in all respects the same as hereinafter specified for the curbing to be constructed under the provisions of this ordinance and flush with the top of the finished pavement adjacent thereto.

The said Commercial Alley shall be so paved from the west line of Galena Avenue to the east line of Hennepin Avenue and from the east line of Hennepin Avenue to the east line of Peoria Avenue. And such pavement shall be extended laterally to the property lines produced at and upon the intersection space common to said street and avenue and the several streets, avenues and alleys which they intersect and properly connected with the pavement therein constructed.

Also the construction of cement concrete curbing:

On the south side of River Street from the east line of Hennepin Avenue to the west line of Galena Avenue.

On the west side of Hennepin Avenue from the south line of River Street southerly to the curb already constructed.

Such curbing shall be extended at all street intersections to connect with curbs thereat constructed or to be constructed, and be curved at alley intersections and extended to the line of the adjoining property.

In the City of Dixon, County of Lee and State of Illinois, as provided for in Local Improvement Ordinance No. 145, Series of 1913, of said City of Dixon, Illinois, will be received by the Secretary of said Board of Local Improvements at the City Clerk's Office in the said City of Dixon, Lee County, Illinois, until two o'clock p. m., on Monday, the 2nd day of June, A. D. 1913, and will be publicly opened by the said Board of Local Improvements at a meeting to be held at the said City Clerk's Office at the said hour and the same day and at the same time and place said Board of Local Improvements will in open session examine such proposals as have been delivered to it and publicly declare the same.

SPECIFICATIONS.

That the subgrade for the pavement described in Section One shall be prepared by first removing all materials found upon the roadway to be paved or filling the depressions therein to a grade 10 inches below the grade given. Such subgrade shall then be thoroughly compacted by rolling, tamping and flushing as may be necessary to produce a thoroughly compact and uniform subgrade.

Upon the subgrade so formed shall be placed a foundation of crushed stone, spread to a uniform thickness, the top of which shall be substantially six inches below the grade given. The voids in said stone foundation shall then be thoroughly filled with screenings or sand and the whole thoroughly compacted in like manner as provided for compacting the subgrade. When so compacted the surface shall be at all points substantially six inches below the grade given.

Upon the foundation so formed a sand cushion two (2) inches thick shall be spread and shaped with suitable template. Upon this sand cushion shall be laid suitable vitrified brick or block and the spaces between such bricks or blocks thoroughly filled with approved pitch or asphalt filler, the kind and quality shall be designated by the bidder in his bid, and rolled until the whole is a firm, compact roadway, conforming at all points to the grade given.

Paving Brick or Blocks.

The brick must be strictly No. 1 "pavers" of the size commercially known as vitrified brick or vitrified blocks as this matter may be agreed upon between the contractor and the Board of Local Improvements.

The width of the "pavers" must not vary to exceed one-eighth of an inch. They must be made of shale, be thoroughly annealed, be tough and durable, regular in size and shape, and evenly burned. When broken the block shall exhibit a dense, stone-like body, uniform in color throughout the inside, free from lumps of uncrushed shale or clay, from lime, air-pockets, cracks,

or market laminations. Kiln-marks or surface cracks must not exceed three-sixteenths of an inch in depth. Blocks so distorted in burning that they will not lay evenly in the pavement will be rejected.

"Pavers" of the run of those proposed to be used in the pavement shall be submitted to a test of an hour in the National Brick Manufacturers' Association, standard rattle adopted in 1911, under the conditions prescribed by that Association, and if the loss by abrasion in such tests exceeds such per cent of the original weight as is named by the bidder in his bid, then such brick or blocks will be rejected. Nor must the individual samples show a loss exceeding the said rate per cent.

The "Pavers" must also stand the following water test: After being thoroughly dried for twenty-four hours at 212 degrees Fahrenheit, and then immersed forty-eight hours in water, they must not absorb to exceed three per cent of their own weight of water.

And regardless of when and where the bricks or blocks may have been inspected, the said inspection will not prevent their rejection, at any time, from the improvement.

The Laying of the Brick.

On the sand cushion the brick shall be laid on edge, close together, in straight lines from curb to opposite curb, at right angles thereto, and perpendicular to the surface of the street. Sufficient space shall be left between courses to permit the filler to flow freely to the bottom of all voids.

In laying the brick, joints shall be broken by laps of not less than three (3) inches. For this purpose broken bricks may be used in starting courses and making closures, but no piece of brick is to be less than three inches long when dressed true and square.

After the blocks are laid in the pavement, it shall be thoroughly cleaned and inspected, and all soft and defective blocks removed and replaced with good ones.

Thereafter the pavement shall be rolled to a smooth and even surface with a road roller of not less than four (4) nor more than five (5) tons, weighing from 150 to 175 pounds to the lineal inch in width of roller.

Before rolling is begun, the pavement next the curb shall be firmly tamped to a true and even grade with a sixty-pound tamper; upon a three-inch plank, twelve inches wide and at least eight feet long. Such tamping is to be done elsewhere also, if for any reason it is not practicable for the roller to operate in such place.

The process of rolling will then begin next to one of the curbs and proceed by narrow laps to the crown of the street. It will then begin at the opposite curb and work to the crown of the street in like manner.

All the rolling lengthwise of the street shall be done in this way, namely: from curb to crown. Transverse or diagonal rolling will be at the direction of the board of Local Improvements.

Bituminous Filler.

The pitch or asphalt for use as a filler shall be subject to approval by the Board of Local Improvements and shall be of such quality that its melting point shall be not less than 212 degrees, Fahrenheit, and of such viscous tenacity that it will adhere to the brick at any temperature usual in the locality and shall be poured into the voids at a temperature of not more than 250 degrees without having been heated to temperature greater than 300 degrees, or other similar material equal thereto for such purpose.

The ends of the Improvement.

At the ends of the improvement there shall be laid a "header" course from curb to curb, so dressed as to conform to the cross section of proposed amendment.

Such "header" shall be a row of paving blocks, set on end, such way of the blocks as to be four (4) inches wide, and shall be backed up with a body of macadam, six feet wide, twelve inches deep at the header, and six inches deep at the outer edge.

Earth Removal.

Surplus dirt or stone not used in the construction of this improvement shall be removed to such place as the Board of Local Improvements may direct without additional compensation, but such haul shall not exceed one-half mile.

All rolling shall be with a roller weighing not less than five tons and at each rolling said roller shall be passed over every part of the surface rolled not less than four times.

Sand for this improvement shall be clean, sharp sand free from clay, loam or gravel, all of which will pass through a screen of four meshes per inch.

Clearing Up.

All rubbish or unused material due

to or connected with the construction of this improvement must be removed when the paving is completed.

Curbing.

A concrete curbing shall be constructed along the roadways of said street and avenue for the entire length of the improvement, except where stone or concrete curbing now exists and except across the roadways of the intersecting streets where it shall be turned at the curb line thereof, with a radius of five feet, and extended along said curb lines to the property lines produced, of said streets and except across the roadways of existing driveway approaches and proposed driveway approaches for the adjoining property, where it shall be turned at the sides thereof, with a radius of five feet, and extended, at right angles to the streets curbs to the adjacent sidewalk lines.

All curbing shall be set with its road-way face along the established curb lines.

All curbing shall be constructed to grade in accordance with the grade lines herein established.

The curbing shall be twenty inches deep, eight inches thick at the base and six inches thick at the top, the batter being on the road-way face of the curb with the back of the curb set in vertical plane. The upper road-way edge shall be rounded to a radius of one inch.

A trench shall be excavated to a depth of six inches below the entire bottom of the curbing, twelve inches in width, on which shall be laid a foundation of sand, gravel, broken stone or cinders six inches in thickness, after being compacted. This foundation shall be flooded with water and thoroughly rammed to a true and even surface.

Upon this foundation shall be set the curbing which shall be constructed so as to form one continuous and solid mass, divided every seven feet of its length into separate stones, and the concrete portion of which shall be composed of one part, in bulk, of portland cement, two parts, in bulk, of good, clean, coarse, sharp sand and four parts, in bulk, of screened gravel of such size that the fragments shall not be larger than one and one-half inches in the greatest dimension. If sand and gravel can be found already in said proper proportions for said concrete, the same may be used as the aggregate, and mixed in the proportion of one part of cement to five parts of the aggregate.

All cement used in the construction of said curbing shall be American Portland, dry and well seasoned and of equal or better quality than "Medusa."

The ingredients of the concrete shall be thoroughly mixed dry until the mixture shows a uniform color without streaks, then a sufficient amount of water shall be added and the whole mass shall be turned and mixed until mortar adheres to each fragment. The concrete thus mixed shall have such a consistency that when rammed the mass will not shake like jelly, but will when struck, compact within the area of the face of the rammer without displacing the material laterally.

The concrete thus prepared shall be immediately placed in the proper moulds and forms, well tamped and made compact before the cement has begun to set. No retamping of concrete will be permitted.

The exposed surface of the concrete shall be finished with a thin plastered coat, consisting of one part, in bulk, of Portland cement, and one part, in bulk, of clean, sharp sand, which finishing coat shall be put in place before the body of said curbing shall become dry.

All curbing shall be properly back filled for at least four feet back thereof to a level with the top of the curbing with the materials taken from the excavation. Said backfilling shall be thoroughly tamped.

The finished curbing shall be protected from the sun and wind by covering and by sprinkling with water for at least twenty-four hours after completion.

The work for which said tenders are invited is the construction of about 386 lineal feet of cement concrete curbing, about 1592.20 cubic yards of excavation, about 759.44 cubic yards of crushed stone in foundation, about 249.33 cubic yards of clean sand in cushion; about 4549.96 square yards of Vitrified Brick or Block Pavement (laid) with approved pitch or asphalt filler as provided for in Local Improvement Ordinance No. 145, Series of 1913, of the City of Dixon, Illinois.

Each bid for this work must be accompanied by certified check or cash for an amount not less than ten per cent of the aggregate of such proposals. All certified checks must be drawn on some responsible bank

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MARKETS

Corn 52 54 1/2
 Oats 32 34
 Butter 28 33
 Lard 11 15
 Potatoes 30 50
 Chickens 17 20
 Ducks 17 20
 Eggs 16 20
 Turkeys 18 22

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Chicago, May 28 1913.

Wheat
 May 92 92 3/4 91 1/4 91 1/2
 July 91 3/4 92 3/4 91 3/4 91 3/4
 Sept 91 1/2 91 3/4 90 1/2 90 3/4

Corn
 May 57 1/2 58 3/4 57 1/2 57 3/4
 July 57 3/4 58 3/4 57 3/4 57 3/4
 Sept 58 58 3/4 57 3/4 57 3/4

Oats
 May 41 1/2 42 3/4 41 1/4 41 3/4
 July 38 38 3/4 37 3/4 38 1/2
 Sept 37 3/4 38 3/4 37 3/4 37 3/4

Pork
 May 2050 2062 2050 2060
 July 2007 2012 2002 2012

Lard
 May 1117 1117 1115 1112
 July 1105 1107 1100 1107

Ribs
 May 1230 1250 1230 1250
 July 1155 1165 1152 1165

Hogs open 5c lower than yesterday's average. Left over—3474.

Light—\$40 @ \$67 1-2.
 Mixed—\$35 @ \$65.
 Heavy—\$15 @ \$60.
 Rough—\$25 @ \$30.

Cattle weak to 10c lower.
 Sheep steady to 10c lower.

Receipts today—
 Hogs—35,000.
 Cattle—18,000.
 Sheep—25,000.
 Hogs close 5 to 10c lower.
 Estimated tomorrow—27,000.

LAMSON BROS and COMPANY

Dixon, May 28, 1913
 Wheat: Early disappointment was due to shower prospects in southwest. Market rallied selling near yesterday's high, realizing sales checked advance, locals selling shorts heavily. Weather in southwest is warm and rain prospects good. Clearances were heavy and fresh business at seaboard. After close sales worked for export in all positions reported at about 500,000 bush.

Corn: Market rallied when wheat was strong but closed easy at 1-8 decline. Cash market lower than yesterday and receipts about the same, trading light. June movement is expected to be heavy and further irregular declines expected.

Oats: Heavy receipts had no effect on bulls, advances scored in all the months. May leading, due to shorts covering. Probably poor oats arrivals responsible for failure of near-by delivery and to respond to heavier offerings. The further advance is unreasonable the class of buying has absorbed oats for 3 week, it may not be wise to sell at this time.

Provisions: Lower hog market brot easier tone in provisions and market had fair reaction. It seems reasonable to make moderate purchases on forced declines for moderate profits.

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doing business in said City of Dixon and must be payable to the order of the President of the Board of Local Improvements in his official capacity. No bids will be considered unless accompanied by such certified check in cash.

Said cash or certified checks will be held by said Board of Local Improvements until all the bids have been canvassed and the contract has been awarded and signed. The return of said checks or cash to the successful bidder being conditioned upon his appearance within Fifteen (15) days after having been notified of the award having been made to him or them, accompanied by his or their bondsmen and executing a contract with said Board of Local Improvements for the completion of the work so awarded and giving a bond satisfactory to the said Board of Local Improvements.

A bond of Nine Thousand (\$9000) Dollars will be required conditioned for the fulfillment of the contract in accordance with the ordinance and specifications and to the satisfaction of the said Board of Local Improvements. All proposals must be made on blanks which will be furnished bidders at said City Clerk's Office.

The payment for the work for which said tenders are invited is to be made in cash or bonds, payable when the contract is complete, and the work accepted by the Board of Local Improvements, bonds to draw interest at five per centum. No bid will be considered unless the party making it shall furnish evidence satisfactory to said Board of Local Improvements of his experience and ability in this class of work and that he can control sufficient capital to enable him to successfully prosecute the same in case the contract shall be awarded to him.

Bidders will examine the ordinance maps, plats, plans, profiles and specifications and also the locality in which said work is to be done and judge for themselves of all the circumstances and surrounding conditions affecting the cost and nature of the work.

Specifications may be seen at the Office of the City Clerk of the City of Dixon from and after this date.

The Board of Local Improvements reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Dated at Dixon, Illinois, May 20th, A. D. 1913.

Signed, BOARD OF LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS OF THE CITY OF DIXON,

By MARK C. KELLER,
 Its Attorney.

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LIGHTHOUSE NEWS

Lighthouse, May 27.—Dr. Werner of Dixon, called at the A. Johnson home Friday.

Ray Bennett is confined to bed with mumps.

George Gronewald of Teal's Corners and Miss Walker of Oregon were united in marriage last Tuesday. They will make their home with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Harding of Des Moines and Mr. and Mrs. June Gilbert and son Abraham visited at the John home Sunday.

Dr. Beveridge of Oregon was called to the Harry Bennett home Monday.

Adam Grim has a fine new driving horse which he purchased of Elmer Salisbury last week. The latter purchased a new one of Charles Platter.

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C. & E. I. ALSO IN TROUBLE

Thomas H. West, Benjamin L. Winchell, William J. Jackson and Edwin W. Winters Appointed to Handle Two Roads.

St. Louis, May 28.—United States Judge Sanborn appointed two receivers for the St. Louis & San Francisco railroad, known as the 'Frisco system, upon application of the North American company. Benjamin L. Winchell, president of the 'Frisco company, and Thomas H. West, chairman of the board of directors of the St. Louis Union Trust company, were named as receivers.

Judge Sanborn, in appointing West and Winchell, fixed their bonds at \$100,000 each. A request that a third man be appointed was presented by Frederick W. Lehmann, representing Speyer & Co., and Charles Nagel, representing the Bankers' Trust company of New York. Judge Sanborn said he had no objection to the appointment of a third man, and would take the matter under advisement.

Receiver for C. & E. I.

Chicago, May 28.—Receivers were appointed for the Chicago & Eastern Illinois railroad by Federal Judge Carpenter. The action was made on complaint of the Railway Steel Spring company. Judge Carpenter appointed William J. Jackson, vice-president of the railroad, and Edwin W. Winters, New York railroad and financial man.

According to Attorney Shaw, representing the Railway Steel Spring company, the bankruptcy of the railroad was brought about in no small measure through two factors. First, a tight money market; and, second, anti-railroad legislation which has been enacted in the state in the last few years.

Shortage of Money Cause.

New York, May 28.—Appointment of receivers for the St. Louis & San Francisco Railroad company at St. Louis and for the Chicago & Eastern Illinois at Chicago, according to interests affiliated with the properties. Is due chiefly to two things, the inability to raise \$2,500,000 to take care of that amount of notes maturing June 1 next and the failure of B. F. Youkum to dispose of a half interest in the Chicago & Eastern Illinois to the St. Paul road.

The 'Frisco has been hovering in the shadow of a receivership for more than two weeks, so that the financial district was not surprised at the actual announcement. There was, however, an eleventh hour rush on the part of security holders to liquidate, with the result that new low records were established for practically all of the property's securities. The common stock sold at the new low record of five; the first preferred at 24 1/2 and the second preferred at 9 1/2. The general lien 5's dropped eight points to the low figure of 58, while the refunding 4's lost nearly four points and sold at the bottom figure of 65 1/2.

Vice-President Hillard Talks.

C. W. Hillard, vice-president of the St. Louis & San Francisco, when asked if the falling through of negotiations in connection with the sale of a half interest in the Chicago & Eastern Illinois to the St. Paul had precipitated the receivership replied:

"It was our inability to raise enough money to take care of the \$2,500,000 notes falling due on June 1 that precipitated the application for receivership. We saw that we could not get the money to pay off the notes and to prevent all the creditors swooping down upon us, we decided to protect all interests by having a receiver appointed.

"There is no use in talking about how much money we needed, for that is a thing of the past. Until a reorganization plan is ready and a new list of securities built, we will not need any money.

"The floating indebtedness of the St. Louis & San Francisco is between \$5,000,000 and \$6,000,000. Has Faith in 'Frisco.

"I still believe that the 'Frisco is a good property and can 'come back.' I particularly want to say that there is no reason why owners of its securities should throw them overboard at any prices obtainable because I probably know better than many of the other men in the company and perhaps the bankers, that they (the securities) are now selling under their real value, and I would advise security holders to hold on. Mind, you, I do not advise their purchase, but I believe that persons owning them will not lose if they keep them."

COMPENSATION ACT OPPOSED

Railway Trainmen Vote 3 to 1 Against Compulsory Bill.

San Francisco, May 28.—By a vote of 3 to 1 the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen, in convention here, registered opposition to the proposed workmen's compulsory compensation act now before congress.

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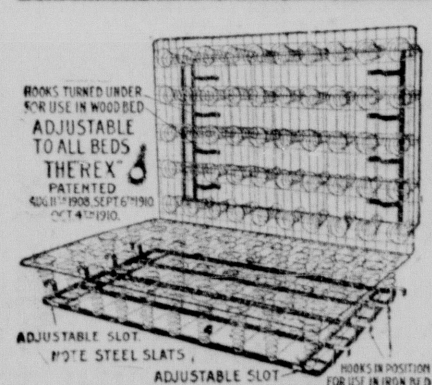
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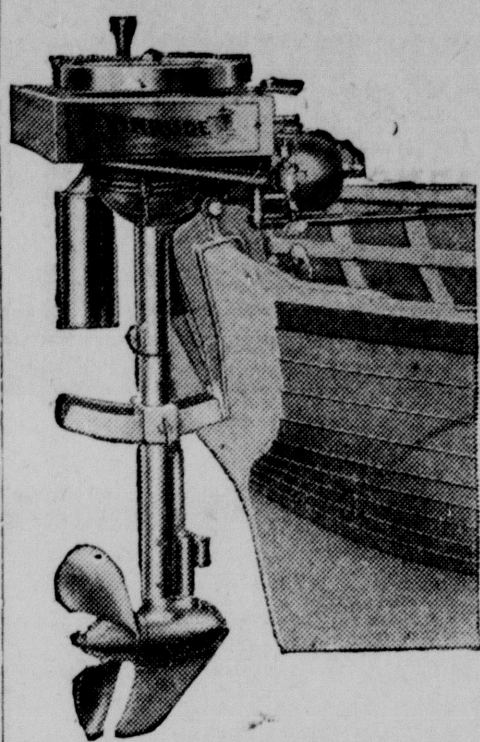
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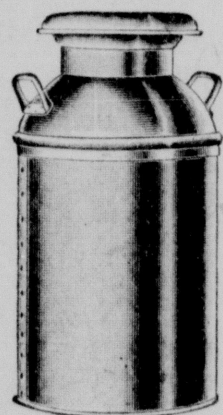
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